

# WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A pronounced cold wave is spreading southward over this Province, and intense cold is reported in the Prairies.

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## INSURANCE OF CROPS PLAN WANTED BY FARMERS

### WEDDING OF ROYAL PAIR CELEBRATED

Ceremony of Marriage of Italy's Crown Prince and Belgian Princess Is Brilliant Pageant

### GREAT ASSEMBLY OF EMINENT MEN

Many Picturesque Incidents Feature Ceremony While in Progress and Proceedings After

By WILLIAM H. STONEMAN  
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ROME, Italy, Jan. 8.—"I unite you in matrimony in the name of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Ghost."

Kneeling before the altar in the Pauline Chapel of the Quirinal Palace this morning Prince Humbert of Savoy, Crown Prince of Italy, and Marie Jose of Brabant, only daughter of the King of the Belgians, heard the words of Cardinal Peter Maffei, which made them man and wife.

Prince Humbert took the ring, which the Cardinal had blessed, slipped it on the finger of his Princess, and a white veil fluttered down over their heads. An unconscious murmur arose from the audience of royalty and diplomats, and outside the rumble of aeroplanes was heard as they circled over the palace.

Then the choir solemnly sang the special wedding hymn, "Let Us Pray for Our Prince."

Seldom in history has a royal marriage been consecrated with Continued on Page 2, Column 6

### Mr. J. W. Jenson Mine Inspector Nanaimo, Dead

NANAIMO, Jan. 8.—Death came with suddenness today to Mr. James William Jenson, a well known and respected resident, who has been Inspector of Mines for Vancouver Island, and a resident here for the past twenty-nine years.

Death, which took place at the family residence, Finlayson Street, was entirely unexpected yesterday when he attended a court of inquiry at Ladysmith in connection with an infraction of the Coal Mines Regulations Act, and last evening he spent a most enjoyable evening with friends.

During the early hours of the morning he was taken suddenly ill and shortly after passed away, death being apparently due to heart failure.

He leaves to mourn his loss, one son, Stanley; one daughter, Mrs. William Case, three brothers, Andrew and Stanley, of Nanaimo, and Matthew, of Ocean Falls; four sisters, Mrs. Harry Alsop, of Nanaimo; Mrs. J. T. Leaman, of Vancouver; Mrs. R. Smith, of Coleman; Mrs. B. Brown, of Seattle, and Mrs. Atkinson, of England.

He was a member of Doric Lodge, A.F. & A.M., and of Black Diamond Lodge No. 5, I.O.O.F.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, Finlayson Street, Saturday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock, under the auspices of Doric Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Rev. Mr. Hitchcock officiating.

### From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, Jan. 9

**THE WEATHER**  
Victoria and vicinity: Fresh to strong north and east winds, fair and decidedly cold for several days.  
Sun Rises: 8:05 a.m.  
Sun Sets: 4:37 p.m.  
High Tide: 9:29 a.m., 9.1 feet.  
Low Tide: 5:36 p.m., 3.8 feet.

**The News**  
Local and Provincial—Mr. George Jay enters his twenty-first year as chairman of city school trustees.

### Canadian Science Honored



ANOTHER Canadian has won distinction in the world of science in the person of Prof. Arthur J. Dempster, Toronto, now of the faculty of the University of Chicago. He was awarded the \$1,000 prize offered by the American Association for the Advancement of Science for the most outstanding paper read at the annual convention recently. His paper was a new proof of the theory that a wave motion cements the universe.

### Saanich Trustees Answer Series of Questions Upon School Building Policy

WHEN Chairman Frank V. Hobbs, of the Saanich School Board, rose to address the ratepayers of Ward Four at McKenzie Avenue School last evening, he held in his hand a list of typewritten questions which he stated had been given him to answer. The list had been presented to him at short notice, but with the assistance of his colleagues he hoped the questions would be answered to the entire satisfaction of the questioners.

### SAMOA NATIVE RIOTS DEMAND STERN ACTION

New Zealand Determined to Use Strong Arm to Maintain Mandate Given Her Over Islands

### CRUISER IS SENT TO QUIET SAMOA

APIA, Western Samoa, Jan. 8.—New Zealand officials took stern measures today to end the turmoil of Samoan natives which culminated on December 28 in a fight in which one white constable and eight Samoans were killed and several policemen, and more than thirty Samoans were wounded.

Col. S. S. Allen, the Administrator, ordered the arrest before next Saturday of twenty natives charged with or convicted of offences as a result of the riot which was precipitated by the return of Alfred G. Smyth, deported for two years in January, 1928, for interfering with New Zealand's administration of Western Samoa.

**ADMINISTRATOR ACTS**  
In addition, Administrator Allen ordered fifty-eight other natives to appear before him tonight at Milinui to explain their part in the rioting. All other Samoans congregated at Apia from other districts were requested to disperse to their homes before Saturday.

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### Want to Prevent Work Done Upon Mineral Claims

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—On the application of Mr. L. B. McCallan, counsel for Ruth Vermont Mines, Ltd., Mr. Justice W. Macdonald, in Supreme Court, granted an injunction for sixteen days which enjoins Mr. J. Diamond and Mr. C. W. Riley from trespassing on the plaintiff company's property on Vermont Creek, tributary of Spillimacheen River. Defendants, it was stated, work mineral claims adjoining the Ruth Vermont mine. Leave was given plaintiff to apply to continue the order.

### Foreign Envoys In Washington Will Broadcast

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 8.—Foreign diplomats in Washington are to have an opportunity to make themselves and their countries better known to Americans by means of the radio.

The Columbia Broadcasting system announced today a series of fifty-four weekly international good will broadcasts over a nationwide network to be opened January 21, during the hour from 7 to 8 p.m. Eastern time, by Sir Esmé Howard, ambassador from Great Britain and dean of the diplomatic corps.

Sir Esmé, who is retiring from the British foreign service, after five years of service here, will talk in the nature of a personal farewell to the American and Canadian peoples.

### MR. GEO. JAY RE-ELECTED BOARD HEAD

Enters Twenty-First Year as Chairman of City School Trustees—Standing Committees Selected

### WILL DEAL WITH ESTIMATES JAN. 22



MAGISTRATE JAY

Magistrate George Jay was last night re-elected by acclamation as chairman of the Board of School Trustees of Victoria, at the initial meeting of the 1930 board, which was held at the City Hall. Trustee Jay is entering upon his twenty-ninth year of service on the School Board, and has presided over the deliberations of that body for twenty years.

The chairman appointed the standing committees of the board for the current year as follows:

**Finance:** Trustee J. L. Beckwith, (chairman); Trustees James E. McMillan and Kenneth Ferguson.

**Building and Grounds:** Trustee William C. Moresby, K. C. (chairman); Trustee G. A. A. Hebdon and Trustee Victor E. Enery.

The School Board decided to hold a special meeting on Wednesday, January 22, when a start will be made on consideration of the 1930 school estimates.

### RECORD OF SERVICE

In placing the name of Trustee Jay in nomination for the chairmanship of the School Board, Trustee Moresby said that it would be superfluous on his part to dwell upon the reasons for his motion.

"Everyone recognizes and appreciates Mr. Jay's ability and his record of service on the board, and the efficient manner in which he has filled the chair for so many years," said Trustee Moresby.

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### Financial Crashes Menace Chinese Trade, and Banks Expect Serious Situation

SHANGHAI, Jan. 8.—Possibility of widespread business failures, including banks, importers and exporters and virtually every other class of commercial undertakings, was stated today by Chinese banking circles as the result of the Mexican silver dollar reaching its lowest level here of 34.7c gold. The dollar was quoted a year ago at 49c.

**MORE ACUTE YEAR**  
The Chinese money crisis is due to the depreciation in the value of silver during the past year with a startling drop in the past month. The decline will become even more acute say New York and London financial forecasts, which, coupled with local pessimistic statements, predict that silver will be cheaper.

This development, native financiers said, had badly affected import and export trades. If it continued, they asserted, it was sure to result in numerous failures.

Domestic trade, it was further stated, is at a standstill as a result of years of civil wars which rendered the rural population unproductive and unable to maintain its usual

### FLURRIES ON REPARATIONS STIR PARLEY

German Delegation Angry at Alleged Statement of French Premier Which He Explains

### M. TARDIEU LOOKS FOR END QUICKLY

French Announce Decision That There Shall Be No Reoccupation of Rhineland by Them

By A. H. DECKER  
(Copyright, 1930, by The Chicago Daily News Foreign Service.)

THE HAGUE, Holland, Jan. 8.—The German delegation to the Hague Conference today threatened to return to Berlin unless Premier Andre Tardieu explains statements he made during a heated debate on German payments to the Allies.

Foreign Minister Julius Curtius, head of the German delegation, announced that the Germans would "accept the consequences" unless an official explanation was offered.

M. Tardieu is supposed to have intimated that the Germans could be notified that because they doubted their own good will, M. Tardieu declares that he said that the difficulty was the Germans' doubt of their ability to pay, but many delegates insist that the French Premier made the statements attributed to him by Herr Curtius, or one approaching it.

It is thought that the difficulty will be smoothed over, however. Charges that the creditor nations at the conference are attempting to establish financial control over the debtor countries in order to dictate with whom Germany, Austria, Hungary and Bulgaria shall negotiate future loans, were made today at the conference.

Private conversations between the nations with which the Bank of International Payments will make trust agreements show a divergence of opinions on this score. Some of the nations seek to make the United States a silent partner in reparations by employing the bank's credit to finance Europe's debts to America.

The technical points of the Young plan have been so violently attacked the last two days that some fear has been felt that the whole plan might have to be torn up and a new one of experts sent for to draw up a new plan. The situation was so grave that Premier Andre Tardieu and Chancellor Philip Snowden called a

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### INDIAN TALK DISLIKED BY POLITICIANS

Disapproval Expressed by Indian Public Men at Reported Statement Made by Earl Russell

### LADY RESIDENT OF NANAIMO IS DEAD

NANAIMO, B.C., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Ruth Alexandra Lindsay, thirty-five, a resident of Nanaimo for thirty-two years, died today. She is survived by her husband, Dr. Lindsay; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart; two sisters, Miss Minnie Stewart, of Nanaimo; and Mrs. F. Cowley, of Alberni, and three children, Myrtle, Rodney and Stewart. She was born in Australia.

### LABOR MINISTER MAKES REBUTTAL

BOMBAY, Jan. 8 (C.P. Via Reuters).—A chorus of disapproval from Indian politicians has been aroused by a speech made before the Cambridge, England, Labor party by Earl Russell, Under-Secretary of State for India.

The Earl was reported to have said Indians must learn to walk before they could run, and Dominion status was impossible for India for a long time. He was reported as describing the Indian demand for independence as "brave, but foolish words."

Indians, notably Indian leaders, declare the speech was not only calculated to destroy the favorable atmosphere, but had materially altered the situation preceding the proposed round table conference to be held in London. It was also a damper for the enthusiasm of opponents of the independence campaign and supporters of the more moderate quest for Dominion status, they asserted.

### EARL RUSSELL EXPLAINS

LONDON, Jan. 8 (C.P. Cable).—Earl Russell, Under-Secretary for India, returned to London from the country today to express annoyance at what he termed "misleading" reports of his speech at Cambridge last Saturday concerning Indian demands.

He explained he had dwelt on the time it had taken to evolve democratic institutions in Britain, and had never said Dominion status was impossible for a long time, he declared.

### Nine Reports of Chimney Fires in Three Hours

VICTORIANS were apparently keeping the home fires burning last night, when a cold northeasterly wind undoubtedly forced house owners to stoke up in order to keep their homes warm. This is believed to be the reason for nine chimney fire reports at the Victoria Fire Department headquarters between the hours of 6 and 9 o'clock. For the short space of time this is thought to be a record number.

### MINISTER TO GO EAST FOR RAIL LANDS

Hon. F. P. Burden's Presence Is Desired in Connection With Transfer of Dominion Holdings in B.C.

### DRAFT IS PREPARED OF DISPUTED POINTS

It is anticipated that by about the end of the present week Hon. F. P. Burden, Minister of Lands, will leave for Ottawa to take up with the Minister of the Interior for the Dominion, Hon. Charles Stewart, and other members of the Federal Government concerning the return of the railway lands to the province. Considerable work has been done in the matter of arriving at a satisfactory conclusion suitable to both parties to the agreement, the Province and the Dominion. There remain some details that will require the presence of the Minister of Lands.

Hon. N. S. Loughheed, Minister of Public Works, whose department is interested in the proposition as well as the Department of Lands, has been in the East for a brief time and has carried on negotiations with the Federal authorities.

### DRAFT SUBMITTED

Recently a draft of the points about which there could be any dispute was received by the Provincial Government from Ottawa, being dispatched by air mail part of the way so as to avoid unnecessary delay. This is now being considered by the members of the Provincial Government, and when the matter has been thoroughly gone into Mr. Burden is expected to leave for the East with authority to complete the negotiations, should there be no points that are found to be insurmountable.

The Minister of Lands is anxious to leave as early as possible, so that he may be able to return with several Ministers of Public Works in time for the opening of the Legislature.

The negotiations are at present progressing very favorably and it is believed that the matter will reach a stage agreeable to both sides without much further negotiation.

It is possible that the deputies from some of the departments may also have to go East with Mr. Burden. These will include possibly the Deputy Attorney-General and the Deputy Minister of Lands.

### KILLED IN STORM

AGASSIZ, B.C., Jan. 8.—With both legs severed by a train, the body of Mrs. Edmond Victor, an Indian, was found on a level crossing east of here. There was a severe snowstorm at the time the woman was killed, and a jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

### Amazing Journey of Sailors Across Desert to Save Comrades

By ARTHUR BELL  
(Copyright, 1930, by The Chicago Daily News Foreign Service.)

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Jan. 8.—Three sailors reached Angra Pequena, Southwest Africa, in an exhausted condition today, suffering terribly from thirst and hunger after an amazing journey across the desert to obtain help for their comrades marooned on the 15,000-ton steamer Limpopo, fast breaking up on the rocks of Sylvia Hill, eighty sea miles north of Angra Pequena.

The Limpopo was on its maiden voyage from Oranienburg, Scotland, to its owners in Lourenco Marques, Portuguese East Africa, when it ran on the rocks New Year's night in a storm and was firmly lodged broadside on to terrific seas.

The crew was unable to communicate with anyone because the ship's radio had broken down in the storm. An attempt was made to lower a boat the following morning, but the heavy sea capsized it.

Seamen Gooderham and Mauger swam ashore and were later followed by Third Engineer Holder and Fireman Adams. The latter two, with Gooderham, then started off for Angra Pequena to obtain a rescue party.

They set out with a small supply of biscuits, two tins of milk and a half-gallon of water. The last biscuits were used Sunday. The men sighted the lights of Angra Pequena last night, but they were too weak to reach the town.

The three men were without food or water in the desert for thirty-six hours. They almost crawled into town today. A rescue party was immediately organized and set out across the desert. The storm at sea is still raging.

### Canadian Judge Has Given Up Post



JUDGE CHOQUETTE

Of Quebec, who has announced his intention to retire from the Bench. It is expected that he will continue to act in an advisory capacity.

### Governor's Ship Is Detained by Boisterous Seas

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Jan. 8 (Canadian Press Cable).—The steamer Lady Somers, returning from the West Indies with His Excellency, the Governor-General of Canada, and Lady Willingdon, has been lying off here for twenty hours, unable to get a pilot aboard due to a heavy sea.

### SKATERS ARE WARNED FROM DEEP WATER

Frost Is Not Yet of Sufficient Duration to Trust to Exposed Lakes, and Shallow Places Are Advised

### COLD WAVE SPREADS OVER GREAT AREA

A note of warning in connection with the popular pastime of skating is sounded by Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of Gonzales Observatory, in view of the fact that the frost has not yet been of prolonged duration. He suggests that shallow water should be chosen, and lake waters, particularly some of the deep lakes around Victoria where the wind exposure is extensive, should be avoided until the frost has continued several days.

That there is a strong probability of such continuance is borne out by his forecast of continued cold weather. Meanwhile, as far as could be learned last evening, outdoor skating is largely confined to shallow waters, at Heals' Range, Rogers and Raper's ponds. The Goodacre Lake in Beacon Hill Park is unsafe as yet, and little ice has formed at Elk Lake, owing to the wind.

### EVENING TEMPERATURE

The range of temperature in Victoria yesterday moved from thirty-three degrees down to twenty-seven degrees, the wind lowering the reading as night came on. The wind Continued on Page 6, Column 6

### TWO HOUSES ARE BURNED IN SAANICH

Residence of Mr. C. E. Stewart Is Destroyed—Home of Mr. G. Hoffman Is Badly Damaged

### FAMILY FLEE IN NIGHT ATTIRE

While Victoria and its surrounding districts were wrapped in a cold snap, two homes in Saanich were gutted by fire, and the occupants rendered temporarily homeless yesterday.

At Mrs. C. E. Stewart, Thistle Street, and her three little children were forced to flee in their night attire as their home was transformed into a raging furnace about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning.

At 10 o'clock last night the residence of Mr. G. Hoffman, 1149 Union Road, was badly damaged in the front, furniture destroyed and other damage done by water. The Stewart home, its furniture, and the personal effects of the occupants are a total loss. The estimated damage is in the neighborhood of \$5,000.

Defective wiring is believed to have been the cause of the Stewart home fire, while a defective chimney is held responsible for the conflagration at the residence of Mr. G. Hoffman. The damage is partially covered by insurance.

Shortly before three o'clock Mr. Hoffman was awakened by the fire. He fled in his night attire, and his family fled in their night attire. The fire was extinguished by the Victoria Fire Department.

### Ask Commission For Helping on Property Sales

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 8.—Equal shares in commission allegedly given the defendant, W. A. Lewthwaite, for selling Sir Donald Mann's properties at Stewart, were claimed by P. L. Hutchins and R. O. Pulcher, in a trial which came before Mr. Justice Fisher in Supreme Court. His Lordship reserved judgment. The parties reside in Vancouver.









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## COMB HONEY REPORTED IN GOOD DEMAND

Deputy Minister of Agriculture Refers to Splendid Spirit of Unity Among Honey Producers

### BEEKEEPERS ELECT OFFICERS

Telling the members of the Vancouver Island Division of the British Columbia Honey Producers' Association, at their adjourned annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the Maple Room, Legislative Building, that the Department of Agriculture was deeply interested in their progress, Mr. J. D. Munro, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, stated that the production of honey was growing rapidly, and there was far more unity at present among beekeepers than at any time in the past. It gave him great pleasure, as much of the success of bee culture depended upon a good official, to be able to tell them that Mr. W. J. Sheppard was back with the department as provincial apiarist, and hoped he would be with them for a long time to come. "When any assistance is needed," concluded Mr. Munro, "the Department of Agriculture will do everything possible to promote the industry on the Island, as well as in other portions of the Province."

### CHANGES ARE MADE

Matters of interest to the association were discussed at considerable length. Concerning an official organ, it was decided to get an estimate of cost from Farm and Home, published at Vancouver, and then make a recommendation to the central committee that the Island Division be permitted to make an arrangement with the Mainland Journal. It was brought to the attention of Mr. Sheppard that possibly Eastern honey was being sold locally, bearing the label of a Vancouver firm, the tin not specifying place of origin. That honey labeled British Columbia honey, and coming from Ontario, was being sold in the Province, was another statement made. Deputy Minister of Agriculture Munro said these charges cropped up regularly. On inquiry, it was found that one could be found who could definitely prove the charge. It was agreed that a representative should accompany future exhibits from the Island to the Westminster Exhibition.

The meeting was informed by a member that several stallholders at the Public Market would pay good price for comb honey, being unable to supply the demand. A discussion of production costs revealed the information that a pound of honey cost just double that of a pound of extracted honey.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Mr. T. H. Maynard, who had done a lot of organizing among beekeepers prior to the last two exhibitions at the Willows, thought that a canvass of the Island should not be necessary in the future, and the meeting concurred in Mr. Maynard was tendered a vote of thanks for his efforts in behalf of the association. A novice class was suggested and approved of for future local exhibitions, the limit of exhibits to be three one-pound jars. Mr. Sheppard demonstrated a new "Middle Entrance Hive," and the next meeting was set for the first week in July, with several demonstrations in the Spring. The retiring officers were thanked for their work during the past year.

### HELPFUL

He: And we will elope at midnight.  
She: Yes, dear.  
He: And will you have all your things packed?  
She: Sure. My husband is packing them for me now!

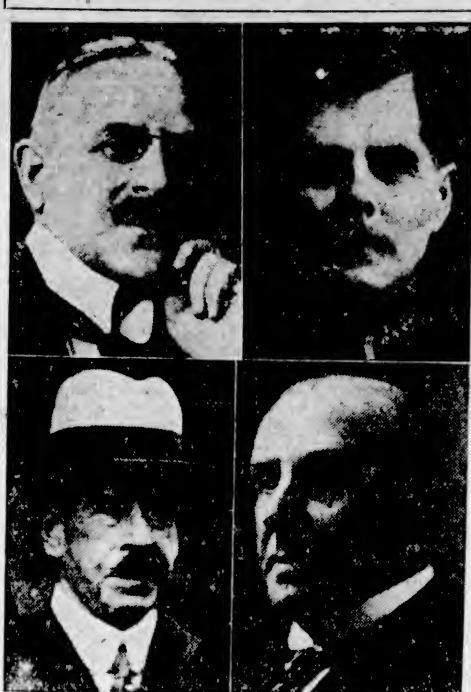
### Woman! Woman!

By J. H. Stetzel



Mother's jewel box is an absorbing adventure for any young lady—and Sister is no exception. They start in young nowadays, as you can plainly see.

## On New Year Honors List



SOME of the most prominent among those members of the British Commonwealth of Nations to be mentioned in the King's New Year's Honors List are: Top, left, Sir George Badgerow, noted London surgeon, and native of Toronto, who has been created Commander of the Royal Victorian Order; top, right, Sir Hugh Trenchard, who has voluntarily retired from the position of Chief of the British Air Force, has been made a peer. Sir Joseph Ward, bottom, left, Prime Minister of New Zealand, has been made a Knight of the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George, whilst Sir Charles Wake, bottom, right, ex-Lord Mayor of London, and frequently referred to as the father of English aviation, has also been made a peer of the Realm.

## Court of Appeal Victoria Sittings

**Rex (Respondent) vs. Nip Gar (Appellant)**—Appellant, a Chinese woman, was convicted at the Vancouver Assizes last October upon a charge of selling opium, and sentenced to a term of imprisonment and to pay a fine. She appealed against the conviction on the grounds, principally, that the evidence, upon which the finding of the jury was based, was mainly that of an operator employed by the police of which there was not sufficient corroboration, and that evidence of other acts of appellant irrelevant to the issue was admitted with a probable effect of prejudicing the jury. The Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal.

An application was then made to reduce the sentence, but was dismissed (Macdonald C.J., B.C., dissenting).

**Mr. C. Black for the Crown; Mr. J. R. Nicholson for appellant.**

**Rex (Respondent) vs. Chun Gai (Appellant)**—Appellant was convicted by the police magistrate of the City of Victoria for having opium in his possession, and was sentenced to a term of imprisonment and to pay a fine. The police had entered a room occupied by appellant and others, at the time of entry accused was seen putting his hand in the chimney. Several packages containing opium had been found in the chimney. The police magistrate found that the evidence pointed to the fact that appellant was in control of the room and that he was the person who had placed the packages of opium in the chimney, and therefore must be held to be in possession. The Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal.

**Mr. C. L. Harrison for the Crown; Mr. W. C. Moreby, K.C., for appellant.**

**Rex (Respondent) vs. Hannay (Appellant)**—Appellant had been convicted before a stipendiary magistrate at Alberni of an offence under the Game Act, and sentenced to a term of imprisonment and to pay a fine. It was alleged that appellant had been found with firearms and a headlight in his possession. The conviction had been affirmed upon appeal to the County Court. The preliminary objection was raised before the Court of Appeal that the court had no jurisdiction to hear the appeal on the ground that no question of law was raised in the court below. The Court of Appeal sustained the objection and dismissed the appeal.

**Mr. F. S. Cunliffe for the Crown; Mr. T. P. Morton for appellant.**

**Rex (Respondent) vs. Sullivan (Appellant)**—Appellant had been convicted in the police court in Vancouver upon a charge of keeping a gaming house. It was alleged that a p.p. was in charge of the premises which were occupied as a club. The club had been incorporated under the Companies Act. The profits of the club accrued from the games which were played on the premises. The magistrate found that the case could not be distinguished from other cases of the kind and that the club was carried on in reality as a gambling club and therefore might be said not to be a genuine club at all although properly incorporated. The Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal.

**Mr. W. M. McKay for the Crown; Mr. A. S. Johnston for appellant.**

### PEAKS LIST FOR TODAY

Rex vs. Tint.

McMordie vs. Ford.

Vivian vs. B.C. Electric Railway Co.

### CANNERY BURNS

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 8.—The three-story wooden frame mess-house and a store building of the old John Carlson Cannery at Auk Bay, was destroyed early yesterday morning in a blaze of unknown origin.

William Lee, watchman, who occupied quarters on the second floor, was forced to abandon the building without saving any of his personal effects. The loss was about \$12,000, with no insurance.

## MINING CAMP MEN IN COURT

Claims Adjoining Premier Mine Figure in Supreme Court Case—Charles Larson Sues William Montgomery

### SHARE OF PROCEEDS OF SALE DISPUTED

Two mining properties, situate in an angle between the Premier and the Woodbine mines, enter into a trial in the Supreme Court, evidence in which was heard yesterday by Mr. Justice Gregory. Adjoinment was made until Friday. The plaintiff, Charles Larson, of Stewart, is suing William H. Montgomery, heir and executor of the estate of the late William H. Montgomery, of Stewart, a sum representing one-half of the price received for the Blue Jay, one of the two mining properties in question. Mr. F. C. Elliott is appearing for the plaintiff, and Mr. A. D. Crane, together with Mr. Milton Gonzales, of Prince Rupert, for the defendant.

As the situation stood early in 1924, Larson was owner of the Blue Jay, and Hamilton of the Blue Bird. In that year Hamilton gave Larson a bill of sale for a one-half interest in the Blue Bird. Both properties were sold, as forming one unit, to J. A. McDonald, and each was valued at one-half the total amount. Of the price paid, \$15,000, Larson was to get \$7,500, and the remaining \$7,500 to Larson and Hamilton. Larson claims three-fourths of this as being owner of the whole of the Blue Jay and of one-half of the Blue Bird. Montgomery, in his dual capacity of heir and executor, claims that Larson is entitled to only half, as having virtually held a one-half interest in the Blue Jay in trust for the late William Hamilton.

Payment in full was made by McDonald, and \$8,500 of the final instalment is in the Bank of Montreal at Stewart. Larson claims that he is entitled to \$6,375 of this, and Montgomery claims, in effect, that Larson is entitled to only \$4,000.

### EVIDENCE FOR PLAINTIFF

It is admitted by both sides that Larson and Hamilton had for years an understanding that they were

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## Ontario Not to Take Action on Waldron Report

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Announcement was made last night by Hon. W. H. Price, Ontario Attorney-General, that the Government would not launch prosecutions against those named in the report of Mr. Gordon Waldron, K.C., Commissioner, who recently investigated activities of the Amalgamated Builders' Council in several cities, under the Combines Investigation Act.

### MAKING SURE

Ranger—No shooting here—get out of this wood, it is private.

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Ranger—Let me see it first.

### RHODES SCHOLAR

REGINA, Jan. 8.—Announcement was made on Tuesday by Chief Justice Sir Frederic Haultain, Chancellor of the University of Saskatchewan, that Orval Arthur Gratias, B.Sc., aged twenty, of Kinistino, graduate of the university, had been chosen Rhodes scholar for 1930.

Instructions without considering its contents.

Recalled to the stand, Larson said that he had never stated emphatically that he had never said that \$5,000 of the proceeds of the sale of the properties was to go respectively to Hamilton and himself. What he had said was that the total net amount to be received for the properties was \$10,000.

This concluded the evidence and hearing of argument by counsel was adjourned until Friday.

The bill of sale was put in evidence, and also the Crown grant of the Blue Jay, which latter has originally been made out to Larson and Hamilton, but had been rectified by an order in court, given without opposition from Montgomery and with his knowledge, and conferring sole title in Larson.

Called to give evidence by the defence, Montgomery admitted knowledge of the application to rectify the Crown grant of the Blue Jay, and said that he had not contested it before the court because his solicitor had advised him not to do so. During the last two years of Hamilton's illness, he (Montgomery) had acted as Hamilton's adviser in all his affairs and had an intimate and complete knowledge of them. He knew of the sale of the two properties and had had a number of conversations on the subject with Larson, but Larson, witness asserted, had never told him that he was entitled to a three-fourths share of the proceeds. On the contrary, said Montgomery, Larson had on one occasion remarked that the proceeds were to be \$5,000 each. It was not until the final payment of \$12,000 was being made that witness had learned of the claim, he testified.

### CROSS-EXAMINATION

Cross-examined by Mr. Elliott, Montgomery admitted that, when, as executor, he had filed for probate an inventory of the estate left by Hamilton, he had included the Blue Bird and other mining claims but had omitted any mention of the Blue Jay or any share in it. Also that in his affidavit he had sworn that the inventory was full and complete and that he had done this after two years of full and complete knowledge of Hamilton's affairs. Witness explained this by saying that he had signed the inventory after reading it and had sworn to the affidavit on his solicitor's in-



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**FROZEN TO DEATH**  
MEBRITT, B.C., Jan. 8.—Marcus Swakum, an Indian, was frozen to death while on a deer hunting trip at the week-end. His body was found last Monday between Canford and Dot, in the Nicola Valley, by a search party headed by Constable Mackay. The dead man had been separated from another Indian with whom he had left home on Saturday.

**NEW MODERATOR**

TORONTO, Jan. 8.—Rev. Frank Baird, Pictou, N.S., was the unanimous choice for the moderatorship of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, at a meeting of the Toronto Presbytery held today. The nomination will be submitted at the next general assembly to be held in Hamilton.

**HAD EXPERIENCE ON POLICE FORCE**

Mr. F. Cawsey, Seeking Election as Police Commissioner, Was Senior Constable in Saanich



MR. F. CAWSEY

Mr. Frederick Cawsey, who is a candidate for the position of Saanich Police Commissioner in the forthcoming elections, has the practical advantage of several years' police experience to assist him in the administration of the business of the force within the municipality.

In the year 1925 he was appointed senior constable for the Saanich Police Force, and served in that capacity until the year 1928, when he was permanently injured in a motorcycle accident while on duty.

The candidate is very well known in Victoria and the surrounding districts. In the year 1928 he reorganized the Eagles' Drum Corps, taking his band to Vancouver in the same year, where it won the first prize for the British Columbia State of Washington drum and bugle contest. The numbers which were selected for this contest were afterwards broadcast over the radio from the Permanent Loan Building.

**Old Age Pension Scheme Is to Be Inquiry Subject**

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—A meeting of the Old Age Pensions Board, which comprises representatives of every province which has now come within the provisions of the Federal Act, will be held here on Monday, January 13. The purpose of the conference will be to interpret and recommend amendments to old age pensions regulations. An effort will be made to secure uniformity of administration in those provinces where the act is at present operative. Those attending will include Mr. E. S. H. Winn, K.C., chairman of an advisory commission of the Board of British Columbia.

**MAYOR BARROWMAN VISITS VICTORIA**

Civic Head of Lethbridge, Alta., Enthusiastic Regarding City Manager Plan

Mayor Robert Barrowman, of Lethbridge, Alberta, who is visiting this city with Mr. R. V. Gibbons during a brief holiday on the Pacific Coast, yesterday made the statement that greater efficiency and lower taxes have been attained by Lethbridge since July, 1928, when the city manager system replaced the commission form of civic government. "Commission government in the experience of Lethbridge over several years, was better than the aldermanic system, and the city manager plan has been a further step forward in economy and elimination of internal friction between departments," said Mr. Barrowman, who was for several years a member of an advisory commission of three, which had for its object the termination of autocratic official methods. Lethbridge, he stated, was at last recovering from the ill effects caused by postwar property reversions. Mr. Barrowman has been Mayor since July, 1928, and will remain in office until the elections, next December.

**MR. LAPOINTE ILL**

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, is confined to his house with a severe cold. He will not be able to attend the meeting of the Cabinet, called for this afternoon, and probably will be laid up for a week.

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**Official Report on Taku Mineral Area Promised**

Resident Mining Engineer Is Preparing Report Upon New Properties in Tulsequah River Area—Companies Are Satisfied With Results

Within a short time a special report dealing with the subject of the Taku mineral showings is expected to be given to the public by the mines department. Dr. J. T. Mandy, the resident mining engineer of the district, is preparing such a report, which will be made public. The work in this section of the Atlin district during the past year has been quite satisfactory, and the companies which were connected with the operations have been satisfied with results.

The desire of those operating in that the Government of the province should construct certain sections of road that are held to be essential in connection with the getting in of the supplies and equipment to the

properties on the Tulsequah River, which empties into the Taku and which is the section of the district where the greatest development is taking place.

The matter of the road will be considered by the Minister of Mines following the report of the district Engineer. It is the policy of the present Minister of Mines to do all that can be done in the matter of assisting promising properties.

In this matter it is necessary for him to have the opinion of the resident engineer to go on. The latter having information taken on the ground is in a position better to recommend than anyone else the needs of the district.

**Minister Asked To Review Case By Mining Co.**

The Minister of Lands, Hon. P. P. Burden, has been informally asked to review the finding of the Comptroller of Water Rights of the province in the application of the Reeves-McDonald Mining Company for water to be used for power in the works which the mining company has in progress.

The mining company feels that the matter may be adjusted along the line of a matter of policy affecting the development which the Reeves-McDonald Company has in hand. The minister will look into the matter as requested, and decide whether he feels it is necessary to intervene.

**SPAIN'S COINAGE MAKES BIG DROP**

Fall in Value of Peseta Attributed Mainly to Political and Financial State of Country

By JOHN GUNTHER  
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MADRID, Spain, Jan. 8.—The Spanish peseta fell today to its lowest point since the American war—760 to the dollar—calculated on the basis of the pound sterling. This is its lowest in history.

The fall of the peseta has been intermittent throughout the year, but the decline is now becoming steeper, and nervousness is felt everywhere in Madrid at the realization that the peseta has lost more than a fifth of its value within a year.

Several reasons explain the drop. First is the uncertainty of the political situation in view of General Primo de Rivera's hint of his forthcoming retirement. Secondly, large payments have been necessary recently to retire the outstanding gold credits abroad. Thirdly, attacks have been made by international speculators on the peseta, which is not on a gold basis, and hence is especially vulnerable.

**CONDITION SEEMS GOOD**  
These points aside, the financial state of Spain seems sound. There has been for years an adverse trade balance, but this year it is smaller than usual. The wheat crop is good and it is not necessary to import wheat. The budget for the 1929 fiscal year is balanced, with a surplus of more than \$30,000,000, one of the largest in Spain's history. The experts are puzzled by the slow steady fall of the peseta. The Government appointed a committee early last year to prevent depreciation, and the committee recommended the drop by placing \$30,000,000 gold credits abroad, mostly in the United States. In October, thinking the peseta safe, the Government withdrew its support.

**ENCAMPMENT INSTALLS OFFICERS**

Vancouver Encampment No. 1, I.O.O.F., held its installation on Tuesday evening in the I.O.O.F. Hall, when Bro. A. L. Curtis, district deputy grand patriarch, installed the officers for the ensuing year as follows: C. P. Bro. J. Davies, scribe; Bro. H. Gardner, J. W. Bro. L. McBeath; H. P. Bro. H. Nuttall, scribe; Bro. P. G. Cudlipp, treasurer; Bro. A. Anderson, first W. Bro. J. Dobble, second W. Bro. H. Polard; third W. Bro. R. Livingstone; fourth W. Bro. J. Wilson; I. S. Bro. P. Thompson; O. S. Bro. D. Dewar; G. of T. Bro. G. of T. Bro. C. Stocker; guide, Bro. P. B. Shaver.

At the close of the installation the members adjourned to the dining-room, where refreshments were served.

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## MAN RENDERED UNCONSCIOUS

Mr. John Rothwell is hit by Car on Pandora Avenue While Pushing Bicycle

Struck by a car at 6:50 o'clock last evening, while he was walking and pushing his bicycle, Mr. John Rothwell, aged sixty, 914 Oliver Street, is in the Jubilee Hospital in an unconscious state.

According to information filed at the city police station, Mr. Rothwell was proceeding east on Pandora Avenue when he was hit by a car traveling in the same direction, and driven by Captain E. M. McBrayne, 370 Beach Drive. The force of the impact knocked Mr. Rothwell on his back and resulted in his head being badly cut. Captain McBrayne stopped his car immediately.

Passersby, after some difficulty, succeeded in lifting the injured man into Captain McBrayne's car, and he was conveyed to the Jubilee Hospital. Dr. Nash, who had been telephoned, visited the scene of the accident only to find that Mr. Rothwell was on his way to the hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Thomas McPherson. Stitches were needed to close the nasty gash in Mr. Rothwell's head.

The city police were informed on their arrival that the injured man had been removed to the hospital. Mr. Rothwell was still unconscious at an early hour this morning.

## Westminster Woman To Address Club

Mrs. Winifred Stevens, of Westminster, will be the speaker at the next meeting of the Women's Canadian Club on Tuesday, January 21, when she will give her popular lecture on "Women Who Have Influenced Great Composers." Mrs. Stevens, who is much in demand as a lecturer on the Mainland, is the author of two chap-books of verse, which have had some vogue, "The Viking's Bride" and "Gold Dust."

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**PRO PATRIA DINNER**  
The annual dinner of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, will take place in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium tomorrow evening at 7:15 o'clock. A number of prominent citizens will be present including His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Lieut.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake, representatives of local ex-service organizations. An excellent programme of entertainment will be carried out. Members who are unable to secure their tickets from the office of the branch may obtain them at the Chamber of Commerce prior to the dinner.

## BRITANNIA BRANCH

The following have been nominated for election to the different posts in the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion: President, J. F. Cassidy; T. B. Dempster and J. F. Cassidy; first vice-president, F. D. Hickman and G. O. Bloomfield; second vice-president, H. Pearson; James Petterson and W. Drinkwater; treasurer, E. G. Snowden and W. T. Lawrie; finance committee chairman, H. Thompson; R. Sneddon and F. Hickman; ways and means committee chairman, D. Ebert; pensioners committee chairman, D. G. Holmes; membership committee chairman, B. S. Martin and W. D. Summerville; by-laws committee chairman, F. Mulholland and H. Pearson; house committee chairman, J. Hall and W. J. Pynn; sick committee chairman, W. F. Drinkwater; sergeant-at-arms, W. Duncanson and I. G. Daft. Rev. Mr. Mortimer will be the chaplain.

## CANADIAN PENSIONERS

The annual meeting of the Canadian Pensioners of the Great War, Victoria Branch, will be held in the club rooms, 720 Fisgard Street, on Friday, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for the ensuing year will be carried out.

## Chicago Limned For Papers of South America

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BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Jan. 8.—Chicago, second metropolis of the United States, presents the curious spectacle of a city of 3,000,000 souls and yet so poor that it cannot meet the payroll of its policemen. Firemen, school teachers and street cleaners, says a first page dispatch featured under a big headline in the newspaper La Nacion of Buenos Aires.

"Big Bill" Thompson is described as being compelled to ride to his office in a taxicab because the city cannot pay the Mayor's chauffeur. Chicago's policemen and firemen are being reduced in number, according to the account, thus causing an increase in the burglary and fire insurance rates. The article tells of the refusal of property owners to pay what they consider unjustly high taxes.

La Nacion's story gives other details of the Chicago situation, which is causing intense interest in Argentina.

Public opinion moves slowly, but it always moves in the long run resistingly.—Bainbridge Colby.

## REPORT FROM CHIEF SOUGHT

VICTORIA BOARD REQUESTS WRITTEN STATEMENT OF SAFETY OF SCHOOLS

Suggestion Offered by Trustee Kenneth Ferguson Is Approved—Attendance Figures Given

Trustee Kenneth Ferguson's proposal that Fire Chief Vernon Stewart be requested to furnish the City School Board with a written report concerning the safety of the city schools, with the report to be made to the board at its first meeting for 1930, was raised by a trustee at a meeting of the board at its first meeting for 1930. The matter of the safety of the schools and their pupils and teachers in case of an outbreak of fire was raised by a trustee at a meeting of the board at its first meeting for 1930. The matter of the safety of the schools and their pupils and teachers in case of an outbreak of fire was raised by a trustee at a meeting of the board at its first meeting for 1930.

Trustee William C. Moresby, K.C., chairman of the buildings and grounds committee, stated that the fire chief without notice inaugurated a fire alarm turnout at the various schools, and if he considers that improvements to the buildings are necessary in the interests of safety, he advises the superintendent of buildings, who in turn notifies the chairman of the buildings and grounds committee, and action is taken to remedy the situation.

**RECOMMENDATIONS MADE**  
"The chief has made a request that the condition of the fire alarm in the High School be improved. This is chiefly a question of understanding the alarm system. In all other respects, the recommendations of the chief have been carried out. The condition of all the schools from the standpoint of safety are apparently satisfactory to him, or else he would have advised us," Trustee Moresby stated.

Trustee Ferguson stated that "we could relieve ourselves of any liability if we had in writing a report from the fire chief as to the safety of the schools."

While he was not opposed to Trustee Ferguson's suggestion for a report from the head of the fire department, Trustee Moresby said the School Board had done and would continue to do everything possible to prevent accidents of any kind occurring at the schools.

## AUDITORIUM BUILDING

Trustee J. S. McMillan inquired, as a matter of information, why public tenders were not requested for the building of an auditorium. Trustee Moresby stated that the work on the construction of the auditorium was being done on the basis of "cost of material" plus a reasonable fee to the builders. A start on the work had to be made before the end of last month, and the board did not have sufficient time to call for public tenders for the work.

Municipal Inspector George H. Deane furnished the School Board with a statement showing the total enrollment of 6,251 pupils at January 7, 1930, at the High School, Victoria College and grade schools of the city. The attendance at the various grade schools was as follows: Bank Street, 131; Beacon Hill, 161; Kingston Street, 142; Quadra Primary, 142; Spring Ridge, 161; Burnside, 239; George Jay, 469; Clark's Central, 354; Margaret Jenkins, 321; North Ward, 466; Oaklands, 323; Quadra, 266; Sir James Douglas, 498; South Park, 346; and Victoria West, 327. The numbers of students at the High School and Victoria College were published in these columns yesterday.

## RETAIL BLOCK TO BE ERECTED

Permit Issued to Mr. H. J. Scates for Building of Four Stores on North Side of Fort Street

A one-story block, containing four stores, will be erected for Mr. H. J. Scates, of 1264 McKenzie Street, on the north side of Fort Street, between Douglas and Blanshard Streets. A permit for \$7,500, covering the cost of the project, was issued by the city building department yesterday morning.

The new building will rise on vacant property adjoining the former premises of Mackay & Gillespie, on Fort Street, across from the Piggy-Wiggy Block. Mr. W. M. Sutton is the contractor in charge of the work.

The building will comprise four separate retail stores with recessed entrances. The Fort Street front will be constructed to an attractive design, with low-front shop windows and down and California stucco exterior.

## MAGICIANS MEET

The International Brotherhood of Magicians, Ring No. 10, met recently at the home of Mr. W. Thorne, Roslyn Road, Mr. Frank Merryfield, the president, was in charge of the entertainment.

## Smothering Spells Couldn't Walk Far Gasp for Breath

Mrs. T. W. Roth, Kelowna, B.C., writes:—"For over a year I was troubled with smothering spells, and it was impossible for me to walk even a short distance, on account of having to gasp for breath."

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## High School Graduate Wins Coveted Honors

MISS MURIEL HOY



Daughter of Mr. John Hoy, of Toronto, who has passed the civil service examination, qualifying for permanent appointment as stenographer, Grade I, in the Dominion Civil Service. Miss Hoy is a graduate of Victoria High School, and has just taken a position with the Shell-Northern Adjusting Company.

## MR. GEO. JAY RE-ELECTED BOARD HEAD

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Trustee J. L. Beckwith stated it afforded him great pleasure to second the motion. Only one nomination being submitted, Mr. W. F. C. Pope, secretary of the board, declared Trustee Jay elected as chairman. Trustee Jay then occupied the chair, amid applause.

Trustee Jay thanked the members sincerely for the confidence they had again placed in him and the honor they had conferred in re-electing him chairman. He expressed the hope that the year 1930 would be a happy one, and that the relations of the board with the other committees and the public would be as cordial as had been the case during 1929.

## FELICITATIONS

"I wish to congratulate Trustee Beckwith and Trustee McMillan upon their re-election to the board. The return of both of them at the polls was a vote of confidence in the policy of the board. I wish to express my sincere congratulations to both of them. Trustee Beckwith has been a most efficient chairman, and I think will enjoy their duties and will be of material assistance to the board," the chairman said.

The chairman stated that one of the first functions of the board will be the setting of the estimates for ordinary expenditures of the schools for the year 1930. The School Act provides that the board's estimates must be in the hands of the Municipal Council by February 15. "The mayor desires that our estimates be in the hands of the council by January 30, this year," Trustee Jay said.

Trustee Jay stated that the board will have to meet shortly, and formulate plans for the year. "It will be necessary to deal with our estimates," Trustee Jay said.

Trustee J. L. Beckwith, referring to the results of the recent civic election, said he was gratified that the work of the School Board was appreciated by the majority of the electorate. "We got sat on several times last year. I have met several of our defense committee members, they didn't support technical education, when the board submitted the proposal for the erection of a technical school here," he declared.

## FOUR AIR FORCE MEMBERS KILLED

British Officers Victims of Mid-air Collision at Abu Suir, Egypt

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The British Air Ministry announced today that four members of the Royal Air Force had been killed at Abu Suir, Egypt, in a collision of two airplanes in mid-air.

The officers who were piloting the machines were Flight Lieut. Richard S. G. Gennard and Flying Officer Charles E. G. Gennard, both of whom were noncommissioned members. Today's crash was the first fatal one in the Royal Air Force this year. Last year there were forty-two deaths in flying accidents.

## Prairie Residents Begin Exodus to Climate of Coast

Prairie residents are beginning now to arrive in the city, and addresses at the hotels are widely representative of the three provinces. There has not been observed yet the volume of movement which usually occurs at this time of year, owing probably to crop conditions of last fall, and the patchy conditions of the harvest making many districts below average production.

As January and February are the months when the transportation companies make an endeavor to direct this class of travel to the coast, it is expected there will be a larger movement later, particularly after the present severe cold spell on the Prairies.

## To Speak on India

Major F. T. Poot will speak tonight on "The Political Situation in India." Having served in the army in that country for many years, Major Poot has first-hand knowledge of the subject. He will also speak again on Friday night, in the Gordon Building, 739 Yates Street. All are welcome.

## FRANCE WILL DO WHAT IS RIGHT THING

Feels Resentment That Nations Should Be Regarded as Naughty Boy at Coming Conference

## WANTS TO SEE IT BECOME SUCCESS

PARIS, Jan. 8 (Canadian Press Cable).—France will enter the Five Power Naval Conference, which opens in London on January 21, prepared to negotiate. "We are ready to do everything that is possible and everything that is honorable," the Canadian Press was authoritatively informed today.

"We can hardly be expected to do more. If we did we should not be true to ourselves nor would the world respect us," it was added.

## FRENCH RESENTMENT

In French official circles some resentment is felt at the tendency abroad to regard France as the naughty boy of the conference and determining on the basis of such an idea, it is stated, is absolutely contrary to the fact.

"The idea of France is one of peace, but she feels that a sense of security is essential for the maintenance of peace."

## SHE HAS NO IMPERIAL DESIGNS, IT IS EMPHASIZED

She assumed certain obligations with respect to her colonies which she is endeavoring to honorably discharge. In that respect it is further observed the problems of France and Great Britain are similar. Both must have regard to the protection of communications with their overseas possessions.

## VIEWS NOT FINAL

The French official memorandum on the conference was not intended as a final "take it or leave it" document. "We have indeed been criticized for unmaking our batteries too soon," the Canadian Press informed, "but the intention was merely to make the needs of France clear to afford, so to speak, a basis for further discussion. We wanted to give the delegates from the other countries an opportunity to state their views on the subject. It is not until the conference is held that we shall be able to study our problems. France intends to enter the conference loyally, and anxious to do everything it possibly can to make it a success."

## SUBMARINE QUESTION

By NEEDLEY PARSON (Copyright, 1930, by The Chicago Daily News Foreign Service.)

LONDON, England, Jan. 8.—The British Conservative press virtually admits that the determined attitude of the French and Japanese Governments has already blown up the American and British proposals to abolish submarines, and now strongly advocates drastic reduction in the size of battleships, despite Secretary of State Stimson's statement that the United States regards battleships as "the core of the fleet."

As not one of the five major naval powers has any battleships building program, the question really resolves itself into what attitude the powers will take when the time arrives for replacement of the fleet under the Washington Treaty, which began in 1921, but which will probably be postponed at the London Conference until 1936.

A member of the Japanese delegation in London, when interviewed on this question today, told me: "We regard the abolition of the battleship as an academic question which would be inopportune to raise at the London Conference. The Japanese fleet is on the defensive basis on which our fleet is predicated we do not regard the battleship as a weapon of primary defense comparable in efficiency with the submarine."

"Therefore if by 1936—which time we are willing to accept as a date for replacement—another conference is held at which the proposal is made to abolish battleships entirely, we should probably agree."

## Announcements

Should You Need treatment from Miss Hamman do not fear you can not afford it—one never regrets money spent if just value is received in return. Think how wonderful it is to be at ease, free from the harassing self-consciousness, 503 Sayward Building.

Women's Canadian Club Bridge and Mah Jong party, Tuesday, January 14, 3 p.m. sharp. Shrine Auditorium, 1037 View Street. Play cards 1:30, bridge, etc. Tea, 4:30. Tickets 50c, at 4:30 p.m.

Your Wedding requires the best in printing for your announcements, invitations, etc. Let us show you samples of our work at reasonable prices. The Colonist Job Printing Department. Phone 197.

Late Blooming Rose—Mrs. Rush, of 1213 Rutland Street, brings to the Colonist office a fine crimson tea rose in bloom from her garden.

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## City &amp; District

Went to Mainland—Premier Tolmie left for the Mainland yesterday afternoon. He is expected back on Friday.

Here on Business—Mr. T. Norris, of the Department of Education, will be the guest of honor and speaker at the monthly banquet of the Huasters' Club, to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Temple Hall, Fort Street.

Appointed Examiner—Miss O. Shore, of the Vancouver General Hospital, has been named as a member of the board of examiners for nurses. She fills the place made vacant by the resignation of Miss Mary E. Stewart.

Guest of Honor—Mr. J. W. Gibson, of the Department of Education, will be the guest of honor and speaker at the monthly banquet of the Huasters' Club, to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Temple Hall, Fort Street.

Admitted to Hospital—Mrs. A. E. Underwood, 1215 Pembroke Street, was admitted to the St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday morning, suffering from injuries sustained by broken glass at her residence. It is expected she will return to her home today. Dr. Gordon Kenning attended Mrs. Underwood at the hospital.

Interlarded War Debts—Departing from literary subjects the University Extension lecture this evening will plunge into international politics, as Professor T. H. Enogza, of the University of British Columbia, will speak on "The Problem of Interlarded War Debts." The address to the University Extension Association will be given at Victoria College at 8:15 o'clock.

## SKATERS ARE WARNED FROM DEEP WATER

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Freshened at 7:30 o'clock to forty-eight miles, blowing from the northeast, and between 8 and 9 o'clock was about thirty-six miles, falling at 9 o'clock to a thirty-mile gale. At that hour the mercury stood at twenty-eight degrees.

Cold temperatures are now ranging southward into California, with frost reported much farther south than in recent weeks. Snow to the depth of two inches had fallen in Portland at 5 o'clock yesterday evening.

## SOME COLD PLACES

In British Columbia, Kamloops was eight degrees below and Vernon five degrees below during the day, but crossing the Rockies, some really cold records were attained. At Prince Albert the reading was fifty-four degrees below, and at Edmonton thirty degrees below. This cold wave on the prairies is continuing southward into the Mississippi Valley, and probably right to the Gulf of Mexico zero temperatures will be recorded.

## THE FORECAST

Mr. Denison expects that the readings will be lower at many points today, owing to the widespread and sustained conditions of the cold wave.

## TWO HOUSES ARE BURNED IN SAANICH

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Stewart was awaked by the smoke, and on rising found the fire had a good start. His first thoughts were for the safety of his wife, and three little children, who were forced to escape in their night attire. Neighbors came to the rescue of the unfortunate family.

When the Saanich fire fighting appliance arrived on the scene the fire had a good hold on the building. Flames were leaping many feet high, snow was falling, and a strong wind blowing, the latter fanning the flames in their progress of destruction. For more than an hour Saanich's fire equipment and volunteers fought the conflagration before it was under control.

Fire which broke out at the residence of Mr. C. Hoffman, 1140 Union Road, at 10 o'clock last night gutted the front of the house. A strong north wind was blowing, and making the job of fighting the blaze a more difficult one with which to cope. For two hours Saanich fire fighting equipment and volunteers battled the flames. Furniture in the front room was destroyed, and other parts of the building were damaged by water.

The regular meeting of Triumph Lodge No. 18, I.O.G.T., will be held at the home of Mrs. Schofield, 632 McPherson Avenue, tonight, at 7:45 o'clock.

## Could Not Sleep HEADACHES Were So Bad

Mrs. A. M. Arsenault, New Aberdeen, N.S., writes:—"For a period I had been troubled with headaches and was so fatigued that I could not sleep. I was advised by a friend, after having used many different kinds of medicine, to try

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## ASK REMEDY FOR ILLS OF AGRICULTURE

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The United Farmers of Manitoba, he said, have played a conspicuous part in Manitoba's political life, and in bringing into existence organizations to aid the farmers.

Mr. Cramer stated that he expected to resign within a week or ten days as president of the United Grain Growers due to his appointment as Dominion Minister of Railways.

"Reorganization of agriculture is the present-day need of Manitoba," commented Hon. T. A. Cramer, speaking before the convention tonight. Diversified farm operations offered the solution for the province's farm problem.

"Canada is stepping into the arena of public affairs," the Minister of Railways declared. "On Canadians today rests the responsibility of laying the foundations of equity, justice and right. I know of no organization which can better fulfill these duties in the province than the United Farmers of Manitoba," he said.

Mr. Cramer made no mention of political affairs.

## THE PUZZLE

Host—You know it is said that the mustard people make their money not by what is eaten, but by what is left on the plates. Guest—Yes, but what puzzles me is how they could—



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# Women's Work and Institutes

## Women's Clubs and Societies

**Victoria West W.M.S.**  
The Victoria West branch of the Women's Missionary Society met on Tuesday afternoon in the church parlour. Mrs. G. Deaville and Mrs. Armistead led the devotional period; Mrs. F. Rees, treasurer, reported over two hundred dollars sent to the Presbyterian treasury. A substantial part of this sum was collected by Mrs. W. Caley, the mission secretary. A pleasing feature was the presentation of the life membership certificate and pin to Mrs. McGuire by Mrs. McGillicuddy, who voiced the society's appreciation of her work. Mrs. G. Newell was elected "strangers' secretary"; Mrs. Watson, the literature secretary, reported the sending of many parcels of magazines and papers to the out-of-way places on the island. Mrs. H. Walton was re-elected supply secretary for the coming year, with Mrs. W. Wright as secretary of Christian stewardship. Mrs. W. F. Perry and Mrs. G. Johnson are the appointed delegates to the forthcoming Presbyterian conference. The members look with confidence to the coming year, under the leadership of Mrs. H. J. Armistead.

**Current Events Club**  
The Current Events Club will meet on Friday at the Y.W.C.A. at 7:30 o'clock. The first half-hour will be devoted to two-minute reports by members on subjects that have been discussed by the club in the meetings before Christmas. The chief topic for the evening will be a discussion of recent developments of the situation in China. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

**W.M.S. Duncan United**  
There was a good attendance at the first meeting of the year of the Women's Missionary Society at the United Church on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Mann presided. The regular reports were presented and routine business transacted.

Mrs. A. J. Brownney was appointed secretary of the Associate Helpers.

**Pioneer Club**  
The W.B.A. Pioneer Club will meet tomorrow instead of January 10 at the home of Mrs. Charles Wellington Avenue. Pins will be presented, and a programme has been arranged.

**Liberal Women's Forum**  
The monthly meeting of the Liberal Women's Forum has been postponed until February.

## Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

**LAKE HILL**  
The monthly meeting of Lake Hill Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon with fifteen members present, and the president, Mrs. Scott, in the chair. Committees for the various branches of the institute were appointed as follows: Home economics, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. W. Mercer; public health and child welfare, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Harris; education and better schools, Mrs. Service, Mrs. Findlay; legislation and immigration, Mrs. Sherritt; community betterment, Mrs. Peddie and Mrs. Myles; agriculture, Mrs. Currie, Mrs. Simmonds; industries, Mrs. Sheppard, Mrs. Walton; publicity and national events, Mrs. Webster; institute work and method, Mrs. Scott; exhibition conveners, Mrs. Peddie, Mrs. W. Mercer. The correspondence included letters of thanks for flowers, etc., sent at Christmas to members and others. The secretary-treasurer gave the audited financial statement for the year, showing a satisfactory balance in hand. The resolution re-appointment to Mothers' Pension Act, was laid over to the February meeting for further consideration. At the close of the business session, Mrs. Scott, on behalf of the members, presented Mrs. Peddie, past president, with a silver cake plate, also conveying to her the good wishes of the members, and commenting upon the good work Mrs. Peddie has done, not only while in the chair, but for many years past. Mrs. Peddie expressed her thanks in a few appropriate words. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Myles served afternoon tea, and a social half-hour was enjoyed.

## University Women Are Arranging Ball

The University Women's Club of Victoria announces that it will hold its fourth annual ball at the Empress Hotel on Friday, January 24. The proceeds from the event, on the preparations for which a strong committee is working, will be used to devote to the club's scholarship fund.

## New Versions of Daytime Crepes



EXQUISITELY simple and smooth fitting shoulders, moult sleeves and plain neckline are settings for elaborate details on the rest of the daytime dress of plain or printed crepe, which in this respect conforms to the evening mode. Slim shoulders and taut hips with low placed skirt fullness are the general rule in new models arrestingly elongated in line.

There are pleated frills and flounces aplenty on afternoon models fresh from the ateliers of Paris. The back of the bodice frequently is slightly bloused or draped over a belt, the waistline thus seeming to drop downward in back, although remaining at the natural or rear to normal at front. This is a decidedly wearable feature of new

frocks, as is also the bolero detail, destined to be prominent in spring fashions.

The incrustated bow has given way completely to the tied bow with loose loops and ends. Successions of small bows and knots are a feminine sort of trimming on day dresses, as are single small bows advantageously placed.

Patou finishes the edges of skirts with scallops on both dresses and ensembles, such a hemline serving to make the skirt appear less long. Lanvin favors the scalloped edge to the wide collar and gaudy cuffs of blouses accompanying suits. There are many other evidences of the scallop.

An interpretation of the scalloped hemline is pictured at the left.

Lelong's model of plum colored crepe cut without a defined waistline or belt. Narrow box-pleated frills suggest a bolero and trim the skirt below a fitted hipline.

Instances of the new ways with bows is seen in Berthe's unique frock of crepe printed in beige and white, the bows being white bound in the plain beige crepe. A hem-stitch pleated flounce produces a flare midway between tiered hip yoke and cluster pleated hemline.

The lingerie note launched by Patou in an afternoon ensemble of navy crepe printed in green takes the form of a standing ruche of green crepe. The waistline is high and the skirt gored with inset godets. A case of the adds to the grace of the three-quarter length coat.

Two of these addresses will be given by members of the union and one by a non-member. The meetings of the union aim to be definitely evangelical in character, and it is hoped that the forthcoming series of addresses will foster and encourage young people's work in Victoria and will have the effect of adding to the membership of the organization.

On Friday next Mr. T. H. Jackson will speak upon "Food for the Fed-Up." The following Friday, Mr. Whitehead will speak upon "The Pursuit of Happiness" and, on Friday, 24 Mr. H. West, president of the Young People's Union, will take for his subject "The Work of God." All addresses will take place at the Central Baptist Church and meetings will start punctually at 8 p.m.

## Guides to Hold Training Classes

Miss Biggar, Blue Cord Guide from Scotland, will hold Guides' training classes on Tuesday, January 14 and Thursday, January 16, from 8 to 9:30 a.m. The classes will take place in the Girl Guide room, Sweeney & McConnell Building, Langley Street, and the instruction is extended to all who are interested in Guide or Brownie work.

**CHOIR CONCERT**  
St. Mary's Choir gave a delightful concert on Friday evening at the Aged Men's Home, under the able direction of the choirmaster, Mr. P. T. C. Wickett, with the home chaplain, Rev. C. H. E. Cropper, in the chair. After addresses by Canon Nunns, refreshments were served, concluding a very pleasant evening.

**Deep Bay Socials**  
Miss Marion Lowe left for Roseland to continue her teaching.

Mr. Gilbert McMillan and Mr. Ronald Lowe left for Vancouver to re-enter the University of British Columbia.

Miss Alice Spikesley, who has made her home here for the past ten years, will leave this week for Victoria to make her future home.

Miss Fletcher of Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. Gerald Few.

Miss Mills returned to her home in Prince Rupert after the holidays spent with her sister, Mrs. Charles McMillan.

Miss Mary Ellen Hunter has received news of the death of her uncle, Mr. James Wier Hunter. Mr. Hunter was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, one hundred years ago, and lived for sixty years in Fordwick, Huron County, Ontario, where he died. Had Mr. Hunter lived a couple of weeks longer he would have attained his hundredth birthday.

## Municipal Chapter Is "At Home"

High honor was bestowed upon Mrs. Robert B. McKicking last evening, by the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., at a delightfully arranged "at home" given at the Y.W.C.A. The affair was planned by Municipal executive members to do honor to one who, during her long association with the order, has become known as one of its most beloved and valued members. Mrs. J. Heeden Gillespie, regent of Municipal Chapter, in a charming address in which she voiced the pleasure of the chapter in welcoming Mrs. McKicking, and thus doing honor to her, said that the occasion was the first upon which all chapters had united in a social gathering of the kind, and expressed her great pleasure in presenting Mrs. McKicking with a life membership in Municipal Chapter. One member joined in singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," as Mrs. Gillespie pointed on the badge. Mrs. Curran Sampson, president of Provincial Chapter, also spoke a few words, and little Miss Maryann Peterson, the youngest member of the order in Victoria, was introduced to the guest of honor. Mrs. Boit, of the Robert Burns Memorial Chapter, presented the guest of honor with a beautiful basket containing a potted begonia in full bloom; Miss MacDonald, on behalf of Bishop Cridge Chapter, presented an autograph book in which the names of all the guests were to be signed. A bouquet was also presented from the Margaret Roke Robertson Chapter by Miss Cooke, and Miss Leighton, on behalf of the Lady Douglas Chapter Company of Guides, presented her with the thanks badge. This badge, it was explained by Miss Leighton, entitled its holder to the friendship and help of all the Guides in the world, and with the sanction of the Dominion Council, may be presented to anyone who has been a special friend to the Guides.

Mrs. McKicking, who was taken quite by surprise, made a characteristically amusing and very charming little speech of thanks for the honor paid her.

Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, of the Navy League Chapter, introduced a novel guessing competition, in which the first letters of the names of living British authors had to correspond with those in Mrs. McKicking's name.

During the evening a programme was given, under the direction of Mrs. B. H. T. Drake, which included a piano solo by Miss Kathleen Leighton, a vocal solo by Mrs. Beaumont Boggs Chapter, a vocal solo by Mrs. W. Ellis, of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter; recitation, Mrs. F. E. Corby, Camosun Chapter; sailors' songs by Maryann Peterson, Royal Bride Chapter; vocal solo, Madame Claude, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter; instrumental solo, H.M.S. Resolution Chapter; vocal solo, Mrs. B. H. T. Drake; Gonzales Chapter; and dance, Jean Moody and Bernice Penzer, Daisy Chain Chapter.

Supper was served in the adjoining room, the table, arranged with a beautiful bowl of Poinsettias and nardines and centred with an Empire cake, trimmed with red, white and blue ribbons and surmounted by a Union Jack. On it were red, white and blue lighted candles, and the words, "Many Happy Returns," in the center.

## Burgess Bedtime Stories

Spooky Is Unpopular  
By THORNTON W. BURGESS

In practice I have found that might be a little wrong or right. Spooky the Screech Owl.

No one can be such a noisy scold as Happy Jack the Squirrel has proved himself to be, without attracting the attention of every one within hearing. Sammy Jay was one of the first to arrive. "For goodness sake, Happy Jack, what's the matter with you?" he demanded. "Happy Jack pointed to the doorway of the new house in the maple tree. There sat Spooky the Screech Owl. His yellow eyes fairly glared at him. 'He stole my house!' cried Happy Jack.

"Why don't you take it away from him?" demanded Sammy Jay, who had it been his house, certainly would have tried to take it away. "How can I?" replied Happy Jack. "I haven't a chance against those claws and that bill."

"Wait till he comes out. Then you can slip in and keep it," advised Sammy Jay. Then in his turn Sammy began to scream "Thief! Thief! Thief!"

It was long before Drummer the Woodpecker, Tommy Tit the Chickadee, Yank Yank the Nuthatch, Bully the English Sparrow, Speckles the Starling and Chatterer the Red Squirrel, were all in or around that big maple tree in Farmer Brown's front yard. They all had something to say to Spooky the Screech Owl and that something was very unpleasant. Spooky didn't appear to mind in the least. Perhaps it was because he was used to it. He simply sat there in his doorway and now and then mopped his bill, or perhaps hissed. Every time he did this all the other little people shouted louder than ever. There certainly was a great racket out there in Farmer Brown's front yard so early in the morning.

Presently, around the corner of the house came Black Pussy. Black Pussy was out to find out what all this racket was about. She knew that something was exciting all these little people. What it was she didn't much care, so long as they all kept excited. Black Pussy has learned that when the attention of the little people of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows is held by something or some one else she may have a chance to steal up on one of them.

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honor of Mrs. McKicking's recent birthday. The Margaret Roke Robertson and Robert Burns McKicking Chapters had charge of the decorations, and refreshments were in the hands of the Florence Nightingale, Lady Douglas, Esquimalt, and Bishop Cridge Chapters, members of the Commodore Broughton Chapter assisting in serving.

Miss Audrey Wood won the guessing competition, Mrs. Alex Gillespie and Madame Claude winning second prize, which was drawn for and ultimately went to Mrs. Gillespie.

The guests of honor included Mrs. Curran Sampson, provincial president of the I.O.D.E., and Miss Bradshaw, of the Y.W.C.A.

Miss Helen Mackenzie was asked, but being unable to attend, sent a message of regret.

## AGED LADIES NOT FORGOTTEN

REPORTS READ AT MEETING OF COMMITTEE TELL OF YULETIDE ACTIVITIES

Liberal Donations From Friends Are Gratefully Acknowledged—Inmates' Health Good

Residents of the Aged and Infirm Women's hospital, passed a very happy Yuletide, according to reports of the Home's activities read at the regular monthly meeting of the committee on Tuesday afternoon. Among the visitors on Christmas Day were the Mayor and Mrs. Anscomb, who went all through the house, shaking hands with each of the inmates and giving them a word of cheer. On the following Friday Rev. F. A. Ramsey and a group of his young people put on a delightful entertainment, which was much enjoyed by the aged ladies. The committee and staff had also done everything in their power to make Christmas and the whole Yuletide

season a happy one for the inmates. Mrs. Clay, the president, presided at Tuesday's meeting, and members present included Medaene Gould, Grant, V. H. Heddle, H. Grant, Sabiston and Whittier, and Miss O'Brien.

The secretary reported that the health of the inmates on the whole was quite satisfactory. One death had occurred during December, and one of the inmates, who had been in hospital for two months, had returned to her home.

All accounts for the month were ordered paid, and a number of renovations were left in the hands of the committee to be attended to. Mrs. H. Grant was appointed convener of the committee for the month, other members being Miss O'Brien and Mrs. Grant.

The following donations for December were acknowledged: Mrs. J. H. Todd, \$50; Mrs. James Dunsmuir, \$15; Victoria Chapter No. 17, O.E.S., \$15; R. Hall & Sons, \$10; Mrs. S. S. Finlayson, \$5; Mrs. G. F. Todd, \$5; Mrs. J. H. Todd, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. E. Todd, \$5; Mrs. Thomas Shotbolt, \$2; two turkeys, Mr. J. Beinhel, of the Ideal Market, five boxes of Jap oranges, George H. Brown, two boxes of Jap oranges, Mrs. J. T. McDonald, one box of oranges, six bottles of jelly, Mrs. W. A. Smith; seven bottles of jam, Mrs. Fred Landaber; fruit and nuts, Mrs. H. Billingsley; sausages for Christmas breakfast, Mrs. W. Higgins; packet of biscuits for each inmate, Ormond's Ltd.; six pounds of tea and four pounds of loaf sugar, Mrs. Peters; box of chocolates, Mayor and Mrs. Auscomb; box of chocolates, Mrs. J. D. McNeill; box of chocolates, Owl Drug Store; boxes of chocolates, J. Vail & Sons; two quarts of whipping cream, John Edge; two baskets of table decorations, Mrs. C. P. Todd; one basket of table decorations, Victoria Floral Company; holly, Mrs. W. Grant; decorated greens for decorating, Pollock Bros.; clothing, Mrs. Thorpe; photograph records, a friend; magazines, Miss Penny; Miss A. M. Deane; books, Mr. R. Ross Sutherland; books, Miss Franch; tickets for Empress Hotel concert, Mr. Harold Eastlake Key and Mr. Bullen, per the B.C. Dramatic School of Art.

## Langford Personals

Mrs. A. P. Bayles was hostess to a small party of children and young people.

Mrs. P. C. Boyes and her children, who have been visiting at "Cherry Bank," Langford Lake, have returned to their home in Vancouver.

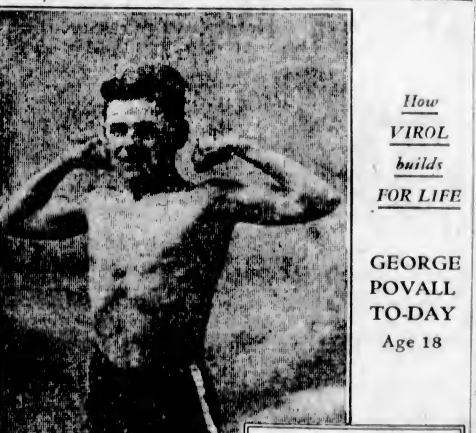
Mrs. Anderson is the guest of Mrs. A. Cowie, of "Lakelholm," Langford Lake.

## THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Here is another telephone story. The honorable secretary of the Chertsey Golf Club told it to me! The telephone in my office rang. I answered it. A girl said, "Hello to you, but can you tell me what it is called in golf when players take turns when playing their shots? It's a word commencing with D'."

"Divots," I replied.

"Thanks very much. That completes my crossword puzzle. And she rang off"—London Evening News.



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## Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK MCCOY

**THE ENEMA**  
An exceedingly curious story of the origin of the enema is told by Pliny who states that the use of clysters or enemata was first taught to man by the stork, which used its long beak to get water into its bowels, finding itself forced to do this since the food upon which it lived was very constipating. Whether this story is true or not, it is fairly well known that the enema was known and used by the ancient Egyptians.

The enema as we know it today is supposed to have been invented by a man named Gatenaria, an Italian who lived about the time Columbus discovered America, in 1492. Legend XIII said to have had as many as 220 enemata given him within a period of six months by his physician, Bouvard. During the reign of Louis XIV the enema became very fashionable and the court ladies are said to have taken from three to four a day, having found out that this kept their skins rosy and clear. They did not use the plain enema that we use today, however, but perfumed the water with bergamot, rose, angelica and orange.

The enema is rightly classed by many doctors as being the most valuable single remedy to use in both acute and chronic diseases. Often severe symptoms will abate immediately when the enema alone is used. It is a valuable method of quickly relieving the lower bowel of its contents without irritating the stomach and small intestine. In taking an enema, it should not be taken in such large amounts as to distend the bowel, nor should it be hot enough to relax the intestinal muscles. Tepid enemata of one or two quarts are the most satisfactory. The best time to take them is in the early morning or just before going to bed. In cases of food poisoning, indigestion, or practically any other trouble with the digestive tract, the enema may be used at any time and brings almost immediate relief. In cases of constipation of long standing where the muscles of the lower colon have become stretched, it is a good plan to give the enema to bring about a speedy expulsion of the fecal contents so that the intestinal muscles have a chance to shrink to their normal size.

Whenever the intestinal contents remain for an excessive amount of time, there is no doubt that poisonous putrefactive products may be generated in the colon. Also, the

weight of a large amount of feces in the lower colon presses on the delicate members in this region and often produces reflex pain and headaches by the pressure alone. The enema is the best and safest method as well as the most direct method of correcting this condition. Patients who are habitually constipated are often surprised to note the quantity of material which the enema brings forth and often recognizes the residue of food substances which have been eaten as long as a week before. Often patients on a fruit juice fast where there is very little pulp intake will nevertheless be surprised to find that the enemata continue to cause the expulsion of large amounts of residue. Sometimes it is advisable to repeat several enemata immediately after one another. The third or fourth enema will sometimes bring out better results than the first or second, and if your enema does not succeed the first time, try administering additional quantities of water.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should address letters: Dr. Frank McCoy, c/o McCoy Publications, Inc., 689 South Ardmore Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

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# Social and Personal

## Personals, Parties Visitors

**Lunch at Government House**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. O'Reilly and Miss O'Reilly were guests of the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss MacKenzie at luncheon at Government House yesterday.

**Shower for Bride-to-Be**  
A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. R. McVie, 481 Head Street, on Monday evening, in honor of Miss Violet McKenzie, who is to be married to Mr. John McDonald this month. The rooms were prettily decorated and the many useful gifts were concealed in a decorated wagon and drawn into the room by little Barbara McVie, dressed as a tiny fairy. Master James McVie sang "The Ball of the Marys." A most enjoyable time was spent in singing, dancing and games, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. R. McVie and Mrs. J. O. Sparks. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Wishart, Mr. and Mrs. Merriman, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. R. McVie, Misses V. McKenzie, Muriel McKenzie, M. Stewart, D. Sparks, Mr. John McDonald, Masters James and Robert McVie.

**Wedding Anniversary**  
On New Year's Eve a delightful surprise party was arranged in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCarrison, at their home, 607 McPherson Avenue. About forty guests were present, and supper was served from 7 to 10 p.m.



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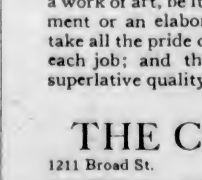
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A prettily decorated table, which was centred with a two-tier wedding cake in honor of Mr. and Mrs. McCarrison's forty-fifth wedding anniversary. White chrysanthemums also graced the table. During the evening Mr. Sloan presented Mr. and Mrs. McCarrison with a cheque from members of their family and with many gifts from friends. Miss Doreen Morris and Miss Edna Holdridge presented Mrs. McCarrison with flowers. Mrs. Sloan also receiving a beautiful bouquet, the occasion being her forty-third wedding anniversary. Games, singing and dancing were enjoyed by the guests.

**Bridge Club Meets**  
The Okto Bridge Club entertained the girls of the office staff of McLennan, McPeck & Prior last evening at the home of Miss Hazel Mather on Chester Street at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Madeline Priestley, who is to be married shortly. The affair took the form of a children's party, and the guests all appeared in juvenile costumes. Among those present were: Mrs. S. Johnson, Mrs. G. Craig, Mrs. C. Burdett and Misses Vera Catton, Constance Badger, Helen Logan, Edith Roff, Phyllis Williams, Vera Bickie, Edith Hindell, Edith Bourne, Irene Rhodes, Hazel Mather, Kathleen Burt-Smith, May Hurley, Betty O'Brien, Barbara Bellamy, Angela Dalmaistro, Dorothy Key and Kitty Johnson.

**Returns From England**  
Colonel C. W. Villiers, general manager of the Canadian Collieries, who has been spending the past four months in England, returned to Victoria yesterday and has taken a suite at the Empress Hotel.

**Leave for Australia**  
Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Crump and Miss Dorothy Crump, of Beach Drive, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump left last night on the Niagara for Honolulu and Australia.

**From Douglas Lake**  
Miss Betty Ward, of Douglas Lake, arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon and is the guest of the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss MacKenzie at Government House.

**To Leave for Honolulu**  
Mr. W. H. Hargrave will leave today for Vancouver, whence he will sail on Saturday on the Empress of Asia for Honolulu.

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**Fashion Fancies**  
By Marie Belmont

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. N. Moorhouse, of Shawanigan Lake, accompanied by their daughter, have been spending a week at Ganges, the guests of Mr. Moorhouse's mother.

Miss Peggy Bevan, of Salmon Arm, is visiting the Island, the guest of her uncle, Mr. B. P. Beech and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Holmes, of Ganges.

Mr. B. McLaverty, of North Salt Spring, left last Thursday for Hollywood, Cal.

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## Husband Dies in Smash



MARY Astor, well-known film star, whose husband, Kenneth Hawks, was killed, with nine other motion picture men, when two airplanes crashed in mid-air, and plunged into the sea near Santa Monica, Calif.

up their studies at the University, Vancouver, last Thursday.

Miss Owen Bizard is spending a few months on the Island, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bizard, of North Salt Spring.

Mrs. Beech, of Victoria, has been spending a week or two at Ganges, the guest of her son, Mr. S. P. Beech.

Canon and Mrs. J. W. Flinton returned home after a ten days' visit to their daughter, Mrs. Alberry, of Courtenay.

Miss Doris Taylor, of Victoria, left on Monday after a few weeks' visit to Ganges, the guest of Captain and Mrs. V. C. Best, of the "Alders."

Mr. Gordon Best, who has been visiting his parents, Captain and Mrs. V. C. Best, of Ganges, for two weeks, returned to Kingston, Ont., on Monday.

Major A. Rowan, of Vancouver, accompanied by Miss Dora, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rowan, returned home on Tuesday, after spending a week at their Ganges house.

Miss F. Eager, of Victoria, spent a short visit to Ganges last week, when she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton.

Mrs. D. S. Harris, of Ganges, left on Monday for a short visit to Victoria, where she will be a guest at the Dominion Hotel.

Miss Ruth Freeman arrived from Victoria on Sunday, and is a guest at Harbour House, Ganges.

Miss Edna Morris, of Fulford, has returned from Victoria after visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Addison, for a week or two.

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## Smart Wedding in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8.—A wedding of interest was celebrated this evening at Canadian Memorial Chapel when Rev. G. O. Falls united in marriage Elythe Wilson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Winter, and Mr. Cyril Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Neroutos, of Joan Crescent, Victoria, and formerly of this city.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was a lovely picture in her gown of white moire, with tight-fitting bodice and full circular skirt, the uneven hemline touching the floor at the sides. Chantilly lace was used effectively on the gown, and from the shoulders fell a long white satin train. Her wedding veil of exquisite old Brussels lace was held under a bandeau of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was composed of Ophelia roses and lily of the valley. Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Constance Strauss, who wore a pastel shaded green moire gown and carried a bouquet of rose-colored flowers. The two bridesmaids, Miss Margaret Winter and Miss Heather Cleveland, were gownned alike in delicate shades of yellow and rose moire and carried contrasting colored bouquets. The three bridesmaids were becoming picture moire hats. Dr. Allan Fraser was groomsmen and the ushers were Mr. James Pollock, Mr. Ian Stevenson, Mr. Paul Riving and Mr. John Beddall. During the signing of the register Mrs. Morrison sang very sweetly, "Until," accompanied by Mr. Weldon, who played the wedding music.

Later a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, West Second Avenue, where the young couple were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Winter, wearing an attractive winewood velvet gown, and Mrs. Neroutos, smartly gownned in gold lace over black, with hat to match. Assisting in serving the guests were Mrs. Robert Wilson, the bride's grandmother, and Mrs. Leslie G. Henderson, while Mrs. Herbert Blenkinsop and Mrs. W. F. Mackay assisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Neroutos left for their honeymoon, the bride traveling in a dress of poudre blue silk and sealin coat with squirrel cuffs and collar and a smart black felt hat. They will make their future home in Montreal.

**Parkville Personals**  
Mrs. L. T. Davies, accompanied by her son, Mr. Herbert Davis, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Binky Davis in Victoria over the weekend.

The Misses Betty and Ruth Wilcox returned to the Island, the guests of Mrs. B. L. Wilcox, French Creek, for the past ten days.

Master Jack Stokes has returned to Victoria. He has been visiting his grandmother, Mr. A. Hirst.

Mrs. Morgan Hirst and her little daughter, Ann, returned Saturday from visiting former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pottinger, in Victoria.

Mr. Geoffrey Strowler was a recent visitor to Victoria.

Miss Ellen Oass and Miss H. Bradshaw, of Victoria, were the guests recently of Mrs. L. T. Davis.

Miss G. Shaw has returned to Victoria after being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weld for the past week.

Mr. Ross Parsons, of Victoria, was a visitor to Parkville recently and was the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Mollett.

Miss Edna Parkin has returned from Ladysmith, where she spent the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sprinkling and family returned on Sunday from Vancouver.

Mr. Ray Blackadder, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, has left for San Francisco.

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H. Pettigrew, Misses B. and R. Wilson, Pat and Margaret Wilcox, J. Rushton, M. Peary, J. and M. Mann, M. Steele, B. Rylands, J. Tyron, G. Shaw, L. Benjamin, D. Barfoot, W. Hirst, M. Abernethy, Messrs. J. Strowler, C. Rushton, H. Davis, A. Playfair, B. Roscoe, B. Weld, G. Pettigrew, N. Kennedy, Dr. Davidson, E. Davidson, J. Tyron and T. Tyron.

**Chemainus Socials**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Smith have returned to their home at Port Hammond after a short stay in Chemainus; they were accompanied upon their return by their brother, Mr. Charles Smith, who will visit them for two weeks.

Master Pat Malungu of Duncan, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Ankettell-Jones.

Mrs. B. Howard, accompanied by her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. T. Gillingham, returned to their homes in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter of Texada, and their two daughters were recent visitors in Chemainus, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Heggie.

Mrs. Stephen Slinger has returned to Victoria after a short visit at her home in Chemainus.

Mrs. Mather was a recent visitor in Victoria.

Mrs. R. Jarrett, and Miss Lee, are visiting in Vancouver.

**LAKE HILL CARD PARTY**  
There were ten tables in play at the usual card party, held in Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday evening under the management of the card committee. Prizes were won as follows: First table, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Logan, Mr. Wilby and Mr. Barlow; second table, Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Wright, Mr. Borden and Mr. Campion; ten bid, Mrs. Sherrett and Mrs. Wilby; consolation, Mrs. Calvert, Mrs. Wilby, Mr. Sherrett and Mr. Logan. The next game will be held on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Women's Institute. A dance will be held in the hall on Wednesday evening of this week, under the management of the social committee.

Asking Europe to disarm is like asking a man in Chicago to give up his life insurance.—Will Rogers.

## PORTER CHAPTER HOLDS MEETING

Officers Are Elected for Ensuing Term—Gift of Cupboard

CHEMINUS, Jan. 8.—On Tuesday afternoon the Porter Chapter, I.O.O.F., Chemainus, held its annual meeting in the classroom of the Calvary Baptist Church. There were twelve members present. The officers nominated at the previous meeting were elected as follows: Regent, Mrs. J. Russell Robinson; first vice-regent, Mrs. Allan Porter; second vice-regent, Mrs. F. Reed; secretary, Mrs. Mather; treasurer, Mrs. Goldsmith; standard bearer, Mrs. L. G. Hill; child welfare secretary, Mrs. W. Southin; educational secretary, Mrs. Gregson; Echoes secretary, Miss E. White.

The financial statements showed the following interesting figures: Total receipts for the year of 1929, \$616.40; expenditures, \$543.27; in hand, \$73.13. For the sale of roses, \$141.65, of this amount the sum of \$127 was expended in purchasing a child's cot for the hospital. Receipts for the Salarium Fund amounted to \$30.40, of which \$28.50 was paid out. Good fellowship receipts, \$19.25, expenses being \$17.49; general receipts, \$425.10, expenses being \$370.25.

Tea hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. P. Gill, Mrs. A. V. Porter, Mrs. L. G. Hill, Mrs. V. G. Pritchard. During the absence of Mrs. Mather, Mrs. Wyllie kindly acted as secretary. Those attending the meet-

ing were Mrs. R. Robinson, Mrs. L. G. Hill, Mrs. A. V. Porter, Mrs. Goldsmith, Miss E. White, Mrs. E. M. Cook, Mrs. Wyllie, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. H. F. Knight, Mrs. A. Work, Mrs. A. G. Pritchard, Mrs. Wynne. The members were all delighted with a small cupboard with shelves, kindly made and donated to them by Mr. Goldsmith. This cupboard will be most useful for the members had until now no place in which to keep their tea-cups, etc.

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Men's Socks  
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Fancy Cashmere and Plain Rib Socks in all-pure wool. Regular 75c and \$1.00 a pair.  
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## Quality Suits

Reduced to  
**29.50**

Selected from our regular stock of suits, values up to \$45.00. All up-to-date styles and Perfect Fitting Garments.

Worsted, tweeds, fancy mixtures and a host of patterns that will appeal. Sizes 35 to 46. On sale today.

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## Overcoats

Many have taken advantage of this great saving in Coats. The cloths are wonderful, and the styles unusually attractive. Regular values to \$65.00. On sale for **\$44.50**

**Men's Odd Trousers** Hundreds of pairs to choose from, and all sizes 30 to 46. Price **\$2.79** pair.  
**Men's Mackinaw Coats** Smart styles, good patches and well made. Sizes 36 to 46. Sale Price **\$6.95**  
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Boys' Clothing  
At Sale Prices

**Boys' Mackinaw Coats at \$4.39** Smartly tailored styles with Norfolk back, shawl collar and full belt. Shaded overcheck patterns. Sizes for 8 to 16 years. On sale today at **\$4.39**

**Boys' Blue Chinchilla Reefers** Good Quality Reefers, red lined and with deep collar, strap back and cuffs. Brass buttons. Sizes for 8 to 12 years. On sale today at **\$4.39**

**Boys' Shorts** A wonderful value in serges, flannels, tweeds and fancy weaves. January Sale Special, per pair **\$1.95**

**Boys' First Longs** Well tailored, with belt loops and wide legs, and finished with cuff bottoms. Sizes for 8 to 16 years. Per pair **\$1.95**

Boys' Suits  
With Two Pair "Longs"

There are 18 suits in this group. They are fancy tweeds, well tailored and in new style, with single and double-breasted jackets. Sizes for 13 to 18 years.

**12.50**

(Garments finished to correct length without additional charge.)  
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Girls' Butterfly Skirts  
Special at \$1.98

A special lot of these smart pleated Flannel Skirts, for today's shoppers. They are in the popular butterfly style with muslin bodice. In red, navy, royal and green. Sizes for 6 to 14 years. Price **\$1.98**  
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## Little Tots' Silk and Wool Suits

Regular \$2.95 for \$1.98

There is only a limited number of these smart Little Girls' and Boys' Two-Piece Suits. The pull-over has a polo collar, with bloomers for the little girl and knee pants for the little boy. Colors are sand and heather mixtures, also in canary, orchid, powder, rose, red and green. Sizes for 2 to 6 years. January Sale **\$1.98**  
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## Home Frocks and Smocks at Clearing Prices

120 Women's Cretonne Smocks Sale Priced

Dozens of these smart Cretonne smocks will be available for eager shoppers today. They are very attractive in their gay floral patterns in four different color combinations. All sizes 40-42. January Sale **1.25** Price

85 Smart Home Frocks, Regular \$2.95, for \$1.98

Odd sizes, broken and discontinued lines from regular \$2.95 smocks. In light and dark prints and voiles, with short and long sleeves. You will find just your size and the color you like in this group. Sizes in the assortment from 36 to 42. January **1.98** Sale Price  
—Second Floor, HBC

## Women's Bobette and Bandit Boots

Values to \$9.75 for \$4.95

These are the very things to protect your ankles in the wet season. There are two styles from which to choose—the low Bobette Boot in patent leather, with broad buckle fastening, and also the high-cut Bandit Boot, with strap fastening, in patent leather and brown calfskin. Short vamps and broad toes are featured, with Cuban heels. Per pair **\$4.95**  
—Main Floor, HBC

## Wool Fabrics Wash Fabrics and Silks

**Blazer Flannels at Half Price** In colored stripe combinations of black and white, black and saxe, black and gold, scarlet and navy, scarlet and green, white and navy and saxe and navy. Width, 27 inches. January Sale, per yard **75c**

**A Collection of 54-Inch Wool Fabrics, Values to \$3.50 for \$1.98 a Yard**

Included are jerseys, reps, crepes, silk and wool mixtures, kashas, tweeds, hairline stripes, etc. Weight for dresses, suits and coats. Sale, per yard, **\$1.98**

**Novelty Wool Taffetas** Dainty wool fabrics in multi-colored stripe effects. Width, 36 inches. Sale, per yard, **88c**

**Fine Wash Fabrics, Values to \$1.25 for 60c a Yard** Including printed broadcloths, printed voiles, printed tricochenes, etc. Sale, per yard, **60c**

**500 Yards Plain and Novelty Silks, Values to \$3.50 for \$2.29 a Yard**

The collection includes printed radiance, printed flat crepes, heavy French georgettes, silk Cantons and flat silk crepes in a good range of colorings. Sale, per yard **\$2.29**  
—Main Floor, HBC

## Children's Hosiery Sale Priced

**All-Wool Three-Quarter Golf Socks**

Four-and-One Ribbed Winter Socks with ten-over tops in contrasting colors. Sturdy wearing and good looking for school. Sizes 7 to 9½. Sale Price, per pair **80c**

**Girls' Silk and Wool Stockings** In reliable standard makes and featuring neat two-tone checked designs. Good for school wear. Sale, per pair **80c**  
—Main Floor, HBC

## Today's Bargains in Drugs and Toiletries

**Palmolive Soap, 15 cakes for \$1.00**

60c Elcaya Cream, vanishing and cold **\$1.33**

Pearlone Toilet Sets, 3-piece—brush, comb and mirror. Regular \$11.50 for **\$8.95**

10c Styptic Pencils, 2 for **10c**

25c Gillette Blade Dryer **16c**

45c 2-lb. Bar French Castile Soap **32c**

35c Minty's Shaving Cream **29c**

75c Coty's Face Powder **59c**

50c Jergen's Lotion **39c**

50c Solid Brillantine **43c**

15c Old Dutch Toilet Tissue Rolls, 3 for **39c**

60c Andrews' Liver Salts **49c**  
—Main Floor, HBC

## Seasonable Merchandise at Exceptional Savings in Our

**January Clearance Sales**

## Our Entire Stock of Fur Coats

At Reductions From  
**15% to 50%**



Now is your opportunity to secure that fur coat you have been longing for. Price need no longer deter you, for every garment in stock has been greatly reduced. Here are a few of the many coat bargains we are offering during this sale.

One Muskrat Coat, Regular \$235.00. Reduced to **175.00**  
One Hudson Seal, Regular \$285.00. Reduced to **235.00**  
One Super Broadtail Grey, Regular \$185.00. Reduced to **150.00**  
One Brown Chevrete, Regular \$190.00. Reduced to **115.00**  
One French Seal Skunk, C & C, Regular \$135.00. Reduced to **100.00**  
Two Natural Blue Fox, ranch bred, Regular \$125.00. Reduced to **85.00**  
One Silver Fox, Regular \$325.00. Reduced to **225.00**  
One Silver Fox, Regular \$250.00. Reduced to **185.00**  
—Second Floor, HBC

200 New Afternoon Frocks Marked Down to **7.75**

Materials are of flat and crystal crepe in new shades of dahlia, scarlet, blue, brown, beige, green and navy; also in black. They feature the new silhouette styles with semi-fitting bodices and flared and draped skirts. They have long tight sleeves and novelty necklines with trimmings of shirtings, bows and contrasting fabrics. Sizes 16 to 44. Sale **\$7.75**  
—Second Floor, HBC



## The New Bridge Shop

When planning your bridge party, be sure and visit the new Bridge Shop. It is conveniently located on our Mezzanine Floor, and our patrons will readily appreciate the opportunity to make a leisurely selection of bridge requisites and prices.

**Bridge Shop Special** Bridge Playing Cards of superior quality and finish. Sale Price, per packet **29c**

**Fancy Score Pads** in assorted colors. Regular 75c for **59c**

—Mezzanine Floor, HBC

## Attractive Specials in Stationery

**70-Sheet Writing Pads** with blotter and line guide. Regular 25c for **19c**

**Crayon and Stencil Sets** Ideal for the children. Regular 75c for **59c**

**Black Covered Exercise Books** of 100 pages. Each **15c**

**HBC Exercise Books** of 100 pages. Each **10c**

**Children's Christmas Annals** to clear at 25 per cent reduction.

**Reprint Copyright Novels** in a wonderful variety of popular fiction by the best loved authors. January Sale, each **79c**

—Main Floor, HBC

## Special Values From the Art Needlework Section

**Ivory Linen Centres and Scarves**

stamped in new and "different" designs. Centres, 36 x 36 inches. Each **69c**

Scarves, 18 x 45 inches. Priced at, each **35c**

**White Linen Bureau Scarves** in two designs for quick working. Size 18 x 45 inches. At, each **35c**

**A Whole Table of Odds and Ends**

Stamped Needlework marked at half price and including such useful articles as tea-cloths, children's dresses, women's aprons, bureau scarves, cushion covers and many other pieces. All to sell at **HALF PRICE**

—Second Floor, HBC

## HBC Service Groceries

Faithless Brand Singapore Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 tin, 10c

**New Season's Santa Clara Valley Prunes**

30-40's, per lb. **18c**

2 for **35c**

40-50's, per lb. **17c**

3 for **50c**

50-60's, per lb. **16c**

3 for **45c**

**Del Monte Crosby Corn, No. 2 tin, Special for 17c**

3 for **50c**

**Tea and Coffee Specials**

Our Mocha and Java Coffee, freshly ground. Regular, per lb. **55c**

Our Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, Regular, per lb. **65c**

for **59c**

Our Special Value Coffee, per lb. **35c**

3 lbs. for **\$1.00**

Our Mogen Brand Tea, per lb. **30c**

3 lbs. for **\$1.15**

**Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 10-lb. paper sack 70c**

20-lb. paper sack **\$1.30**

100-lb. sack **\$6.25**

**Royal City Pork and Beans, No. 2 tin, Special at 10c**

**Stanley's Marmalade**

Orange Marmalade, Special, per 4-lb. tin **58c**

Pineapple Marmalade, Special, per 4-lb. tin **78c**

Grapefruit Marmalade, Special, per 4-lb. tin **63c**

**Wheat Granules, 6-lb. sack, Special at 42c**

**1 Non-Tip Best Quality Enamel Egg Saucepan and 1 dozen Bullet Extra Eggs for 66c**

**Flour Special**

All Brands Flour—24-lb. sack for **\$1.35**

40-lb. sack **\$2.65**

98-lb. sack **\$5.10**  
—Lower Main Floor, HBC

## All-Wool Ulster Travelling Rugs

Many shades in fancy all-over checks. All wool and full size, 58 x 72 inches, with fringe. An ideal rug for home or car use. There are just thirty to sell, so be early. Each **\$3.95**  
—Main Floor, HBC

## 9 O'CLOCK SPECIAL

Black Satin  
98c a Yard

Black Duchesse Satin of rich texture, with a bright satin surface.  
—Main Floor, HBC

## HEATERS

## At January Clearing Prices

It's now you will enjoy the benefits of a good heater, so why not purchase one right away and take advantage of these special prices?

**Beach Circulating Heaters in Three Sizes**

No. 300, reduced to **\$23.95**

No. 400, reduced to **\$26.75**

No. 500, reduced to **\$31.50**

**McClary Circulating Heaters**

Furnacette Junior, reduced to **\$45.00**

McClary Furnacette, reduced to **\$63.75**

Any of the above heaters may be purchased on our popular deferred payment plan—10% cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

—Third Floor, HBC

## China Dinner Sets and China Oddments

**At Sale Prices**

**Dinner Sets, Regular \$47.50 for \$35.00**

Five China Dresden Sets in a colored and floral design with narrow ceramic band and gold handles. A complete dinner and tea service for twelve people. Sale **\$35.00**

**Ryde, Yorkshire and Ascot Pieces at Half Price**

Dinner Plates, regular \$4.20 per dozen **\$2.10**

Breakfast Plates, regular \$4.30 per dozen **\$2.15**

Breakfast Plates, regular \$3.85 per dozen **\$1.95**

Tea Plates, regular \$3.00 per dozen **\$1.50**

Tea Plates, regular \$2.40 per dozen **\$1.20**

Bread and Butter Plates, reg. \$2.00 per dozen **\$1.00**

Bread and Butter Plates, reg. \$1.75 per dozen **90c**

Soup Plates, regular \$3.60 per dozen **\$1.80**

Fruit Saucers, regular \$1.25 per dozen **65c**

Platters, regular \$1.50 each **75c**  
—Third Floor, HBC

## Clearance of Bedding

**Colored Pillow Cases at 25c Each**

Made from a heavy cotton that will launder to your satisfaction. In shades of pink and mauve. Each **29c**

**Heavy Bleached Cotton Sheets, Size 80 x 90, Inches, at \$1.58 Each**

Made for hard wear, and a good washing quality. Double bed size. Price each **\$1.58**

**Large Size Flannellette Blankets at \$2.98 a Pair**

These Sheetings, 80 inches wide, can be used for many purposes—sheets, pillow cases, dresses, etc. Yard, **49c**

**White Pure Wool Blankets at \$10.98 a Pair**

Size for double beds and weight 8 lbs. Woven from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarn and finished with blue borders. Per pair **10.98**  
—Main Floor, HBC

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## Quality Groceries

**At Remarkably Low Prices**

**Choice Tomatoes, large tins, 2 tins for 25c**

**Royal Prince No. 3 Peas, No. 2 tin, per tin 16c**

**Peaches, halves, No. 2 tin, per tin 19c**

**Fry's Cocoa, 12-lb. tin for 25c**

**Velveta Cheese, 12-lb. packet 70c**

**Imperial Pure Pork Sausages, 1-lb. carton for 25c**

**Eggs, Pullet Extras, per dozen 40c**

**New Bulk Dates, 2 lbs. for 13c**

**Fancy Pink Salmon, 3 tins for 25c**

**EXTRA SPECIALS**

**Empress Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. net 55c**

**Our "Economy" Coffee, freshly ground, 3 lbs. for \$1.00**  
—Lower Main Floor, HBC

## Fresh Meat Specials

**Red Ribbon Beef**

Sirloin and T-Bone Roast, per lb. **40c**

Sirloin Tip and Aitch Bone, per lb. **38c**

Prime Ribs and Kumps, per lb. **36c**

Thick Rib, per lb. **29c**

Port Roast, per lb. **25c**

Plate Beef, per lb. **20c**

Our Own Brand Beef Sausages, per lb. **15c**

**Poultry**

Turkeys, per lb. **44c**

Roasting Chicken, per lb. **45c**

Choice Fresh Fowl, 500 lbs. Sugar-Cured Corned Briskets, lb. **14c**

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

## Men's Heavy Knit Sweater Coats

Heavy wool in dark heather shade with shawl collar and two pockets. An ideal work coat that will keep you warm. All sizes, 36 to 42. Special at **\$1.00**  
—Main Floor, HBC















## At The Playhouses

## "FOOTLIGHTS" IS CAPITOL OFFERING

Emotional Acting as Well as Comedy Are Featured by Colleen Moore

Local theatregoers will have an opportunity today to see one of the most widely discussed talking pictures of the current season when Colleen Moore's newest First National production, "Footlights and Fools," opens at the Capitol.

A new Colleen Moore is revealed in this comedy-drama—a Colleen Moore whose personality is made even more delightful by the addition of a voice regarded as one of the finest yet heard in talking pictures. "Footlights and Fools" presents the popular star in a characterization that contrasts sharply with most of her portrayals, for in addition to frequent moments of comedy, there are scenes calling upon Miss Moore for emotional acting of a highly dramatic nature.

Technicolor has been employed by Producer John McCormick to present not only vividly colored stage episodes, in which Miss Moore and a huge ensemble of seventy-two chorus girls and dancers appear, all lavishly costumed. It is during these spectacular scenes that the song hits of "Footlights and Fools" are introduced. Miss Moore singing "If I Can't Have You," "Polly Pom Pom Pie" and "You Can't Believe My Naughty Eyes." Another humorous song, "Ophelia Will Fool You" is sung by Andy Rice, Jr., former musical comedy star.

## "High Voltage"

To Be Produced At Columbia

Framed in a background of the snowbound Sierras, in Northern California, intense drama in its richest form is being presented at the Columbia Theatre now for three days, when "High Voltage," William Boyd's latest star production, opened a three days' run.

Advance reports indicate that the picture is one of Boyd's best, and reviewers who have seen "High Voltage" declare that it is as thrilling and dramatic as any in which he has been seen since he became a star.

"High Voltage" deals with six persons who face death in a deserted meeting house, marooned from the outside world by snow, and who find the true valuations of life and the beauty of romance in their very battle for existence.

The story offers the star a rare histrionic opportunity. He has an

## New Brunswick Enjoys Year of Prosperity



PREMIER J. B. BAXTER

New Brunswick has enjoyed one of the most prosperous years ever known, according to a review of the year for the past year issued by Premier John B. Baxter. The outlook for the future, Premier Baxter points to the marked expansion of the forest products industry, particularly in the pulp and paper mills, and the \$10,000,000 programme involving new pulp, paper and power plants.

Nancy on the stage. She gets peevish at this, and as ruler of the school she tries to have him dismissed for delinquency in studies. Then some enlightens her on the true meaning of school spirit and Pelham wins the great football game over the traditional rival team. That in brief is the plot. It is a "Joe Cillee" and a campus wide.

Every inch of it is crammed with hot-foot dancing, ear-tickling singing, rib-tackling funning and gasping thrills, new and catchy tunes.

## COLISEUM STUNNING BETTY COMPTON

son, one of the most lovely of many lovely women on the screen, is appearing this week at the Coliseum Theatre in her latest and one of her finest pictures, "Woman to Woman," a story of Paris during the Great War. The choruses of a modern cafe in Paris are shown, and in them appear a number of beautiful and talented girls, all of them attired in lace and silks and feathers.

The "girl" is particularly pleasing and several tuneful numbers are heard.

## "THE FAMILY GOAT," A THEATRE WHIRLWIND

comedy, presented by the Toby Leitch Players with an all-star cast, is an outstanding hit at the Variety Theatre this week. Every minute of this brilliant farce-comedy is enlivened with a laugh and enthusiasm in the audience greeting it nightly. A fine love story distinguishes the plot, which moves with all the splendid rapidity of a thoroughly modern play presented by a really talented company. Altogether, "The Family Goat" is an eminently delightful play for those who love the legitimate theatre at its best.

## DOUGLAS STREET BAPTISTS MEET

Reports at Annual Meeting Last Night Show Healthy State in All Departments

An appeal for a greatly increased missionary giving was made by Rev. F. W. McKinnon, pastor of Douglas Street Baptist Church, in the address which he made at the annual congregational business meeting held last evening. Mr. McKinnon reminded his people that the missionary budget for the church had almost doubled, and that more liberal giving would, in consequence, be required to meet this. Closer cooperation in all activities of the church was urged after his review of the past year, the pastor mapped out a suggested line of work for the ensuing year.

The annual meeting followed an excellent supper served by the ladies of the church. In the reports which were read, marked progress was noted in every department, and the treasurer's statement, read by Mr. William Tyson, showed a balance in the bank after the payment of all outstanding debts. The Sunday school report was another highly satisfactory statement, demonstrating the growth and innovation in this branch of the church life.

Election of officers resulted as follows: Church clerk, Mr. T. E. Benson; treasurer, Mr. William Tyson; missionary secretary, Miss N. Reece; deacons, Messrs. D. Mackereth, T. E. Benson, William Tyson and Frank Humphreys; deaconesses, Mesdames Ward, Stables, Beal and Arnold; choir leader, Mrs. N. McKague; organist, Mrs. Frank Humphreys; president of the missionary circle, Mrs. F. W. McKinnon; superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. Percy Mackereth.

Ushers appointed for the year were Messrs. David Tyson, William Tyson, Tom Cooper, Harry Tyson, Ralph and Woodward.

A vote of thanks to all retiring officers was passed, and the chairman, Rev. F. W. McKinnon, expressed appreciation of the support which he had from the various departments during the past year.

While in Switzerland a traveler was about to make an ascent, when he thought he might as well institute some inquiries about the guide who was to accompany him. "Is he a thoroughly skilled climber?" he asked the hotelkeeper. "I should say so," was the reply. "He has lost two parties of tourists down the mountain side, and each time has come off without as much as a scratch himself."

## NEW YEAR'S BALL PROVES SUCCESS

Prominent People of Salt Spring Attend Fancy Dress Ball—List of Prize-Winning Costumes

GANGES, Jan. 8.—On New Year's Eve the annual fancy dress ball took place at Mahon Hall. It was organized by the committee of the Gulf Islands Hospital at Ganges, for the benefit of that institution. As on former occasions the dance was a decided success, and was greatly enjoyed by nearly two hundred guests.

From yellow lamp shades numerous streamers of yellow, purple and blue paper fell in festoons to the walls, and from the streamers clusters of the same colored balloons hung. Evergreen adorned the windows and walls. The hall decorations were exceedingly effective and pretty, and for the management of this department Mrs. A. J. Eaton, with helpers, was responsible.

Major P. C. Turner was master of ceremonies and also, with Capt. F. H. Walker and Mrs. Hunt, acted as a judge. After the Grand March supper was served in the adjoining rooms. Mrs. Charlesworth, assisted by several helpers, was in charge of refreshments.

At midnight Mr. A. Inglis, as the "Old Year," presided over the ball, while the new year, beautifully impersonated by little Nancy Baker, was uproariously welcomed, all joining in singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The prizes were next presented by Mrs. A. J. Eaton, the winners being as follows: Most original lady, Miss Nancy Ellis, gold-tipped cigarettes; most original gentleman, Mr. Desmond Crofton, executioner.

Best old-time couple, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crofton, Derby and Joan. During the evening it was announced that almost \$160 had been taken for the hospital, this included \$250 which had been derived from the raffish of a turkey donated by Mrs. Maxwell, the money to be added to that derived from the dance.

Some of the guests in fancy dress included Mr. Inglis, Pied Piper of Hamelin; Mrs. Inglis, Dresden shepherdess; Mrs. Desmond Crofton, Waverley; Mrs. Arthur Ellis, night; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Horel, eighteenth century; Capt. V. C. Best, Argentine; Mr. Burdett, cavalry; Mrs. Burdett, Swiss peasant; Mr. Harold Price, brigand; Mr. Clive Justice, midnight reviewer; Mrs. Clive Justice, Chinaman; Mrs. Robin Justice, sailor boy; Mr. Treesehope, Red Riding Hood; Mrs. John Reid, 1750; Mrs. Freddy, cowgirl; Mrs. Mulcahy, pirate; Miss Gwen Bizard, gipsy; Miss Holmes, early Victorian; Miss Di Crofton, Eastern; Miss Clair Wilson, early Victorian; Miss Doreen Crofton, New Year's Polly; Miss Denise Crofton, Hawaiian; Miss Gladys Beech, 1900; Miss Olson, rainbow; Miss Lois Wilson, Arabian dancer; Miss Sherlie Wilson, Egyptian; Miss Bride Wilson, Hawaiian; Mr. W. P. Evans, R.C.M.P.; Mr. P. Lowther, jester; Mr. Reg Price, medicine man; Mr. Geoffrey Beddis, hobo; Mr. Jake Abbott, Pierrot; Miss Betty Abbott, Pierrette; Miss Irene Oswald, Turkish lady; Miss Betty Kingsbury, Spanish; Mr. Dick Chandler, black and white Pierrot; Mr. Peter Turner, Puritan; Mr. Fred Crofton, pirate; Mr. Eric Slater, Mexican; Mr. George Elliot, Spaniard; Mr. Raymond Best, Saxon youth, and others.

Among those not in fancy costume were Mrs. V. C. Best, Mr. S. P. Beech, Mr. H. W. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baker, Misses Peggy and Phyllis Beech, Mr. Cyril Beech, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mr. A. J. Eaton, Miss Florence Eager, Mrs. and Miss Evans, Mr. Robin Justice, Mrs. J. C. Kingsbury, Mrs. Harvey Mrs. Hardy, Mr. D. Bailey, Mr. D. Harris, Mrs. Gavin Mount, Messrs. Fred and Ray Morris, Mrs. Price, Mr. Freddy, Mr. L. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roberts, Mr. J. Reid, Dr. Sutherland, Messrs. Ian and Kenneth Simson, Mr. T. F. Speed, Mr. Eric Springford, Mrs. F. C. Turner, Mrs. P. H. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wilson and several others.

Like all war, the memorials should be horrible.—Sir John Fraser.

## 100% TALKING PICTURE

WHAT A PICTURE! One who tells another in this farce while a man is necessary but is nevertheless nice.

## PLAYHOUSE

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Large Number Delays Announcement in Regard to Competition Conducted by Diggins, Ltd.

The result of the calculation contest conducted by Diggins, Ltd., and T. N. Hibben & Company, Ltd., was announced late last night. The winner of the Victor Radio with Electrola is Mr. S. T. Sehl, 1176 Osceola Street. Mr. Sehl was the only contestant to estimate the number of cards in the glass container correctly, although quite a number came within one or two units of the actual figure. The number was 17,642.

The work of counting the cards was carried out by Monday by a staff of twelve, under the supervision of one of the judges, Mr. W. A. Patterson. The task of examining the coupon entries required the employment of a team of scrutineers, who worked according to a system of double checks, which made errors impossible. The work took two full days to complete, the large number of entries being responsible for the seeming delay in announcing the name of the winner.

Examinations of the coupons submitted revealed some curious facts. Although only one succeeded in making a correct estimate, many came tolerably near to it. Estimates ranging from ridiculously low figures to impossibly high totals were received. Certain numbers were obviously favorites, and many who submitted several coupons had evidently performed their calculations on theories of numerical sequence. This is the fifth calculation contest to be conducted by Diggins, and it has proved to be by far the most popular.

Willie: I don't think much of Johnnie's father as a banker. Willie's Dad: What's the trouble with him? Willie: Nothing. Only Johnnie asked him for a quarter the other day and he didn't have one.

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# FINANCE

**Trading at N.Y. Is Near Standstill and Volume of Business Done Negligible**

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Paralysis penetrated further in the stock market today. The day's trading aggregated only 1,338,830 shares, the smallest full session's business since August 13, 1928. The ticker tape stood still for minutes at a time. Rarely has there been such a divergence of speculative opinion as there is in Wall Street at present, and pending visible signs of a definite market trend, most traders prefer to express opinions rather than act on them. Experimental efforts on the part of both speculators for the rise and for the fall have gone unrewarded by definite results.

Credit conditions remained easy. Call money again renewed at 4 1/2 per cent and dropped to 4, although the surplus of funds offered was not so large as yesterday. In the foreign exchange attention was focused on the Spanish peseta, which dropped about a cent to 125.50, the lowest in several years. The decline was attributed to the political situation in Spain. Sterling dropped about 1/4 cent to 124 1/2, reflecting the prospect of a lower Bank of England rate. Cables were quoted at \$4.87. Bond prices rose on easing money tendencies today. The advance added to the improvement registered earlier in the week, carried securities of the highest grade close to their 1929 highs. Sales were the largest since before Christmas.

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## The Market Advances

Bond prices are increasing steadily. There are, of course, no spectacular advances, for the bond market fluctuates in a conservative manner. But it does point out that investors who have funds available should place them while present yields are available.

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## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Foreign exchange easy

France—3.22 1/2 cables 3.23 1/2

Italy—1.27 1/2 cables 1.28 1/2

Germany—23.85 cables 23.85

Holland—40.27 cables 40.27

Sweden—36.74 cables 36.74

Switzerland—12.39 cables 12.39

Poland—1.29 cables 1.29

Czechoslovakia—2.95 1/2 cables 2.95 1/2

Austria—1.27 cables 1.27

Argentina—40.27 cables 40.27

Brazil—1.27 cables 1.27

Tokyo—49.06 cables 49.06

Manila—48.43 cables 48.43

Montreal—89.01 cables 89.01

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Demand 486.9-16 cables 487; sixty-day bills on banks 482 1/2-16.

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## WHEAT MARKET AT CHICAGO HAS A RALLY

Though Part Lost at Close, Market Is Firmer Than Winnipeg for the Day—News Less Bearish

## SENTIMENT CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS DAY

(R.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Wheat had a fair rally, part of which was lost at the close, our market being relatively firmer than Winnipeg. There was less bearishness in the news with more favorable developments in an export way.

Several weeks in the Southwest where there was a severe drought in parts previous to the snowfall encouraged some buying. On the advance there was some selling owing to the nearness of the calendar date for so doing.

Forecast is for clear and very cold. Omaha reported sales to exporters of wheat now in store at 100,000 bushels.

That bids were a little out of line for direct export.

Buying was not particularly aggressive, but there was change in the sentiment of yesterday. A trading market over a fair range seems in prospect at the moment, with purchase on good breaks in order to anticipate export taking on weak spots.

Corn advanced with wheat, but held within a comparatively narrow range, some buying also because of severe weather and strength in the spot market. Cash trading basis relatively half to two cents higher. Shipping demand active with sales of 150,000 bushels.

Trade continues largely local with the volume of country movement still the chief factor.

Oats were dull, but firmer with other grains.

Wheat—Open High Low Close

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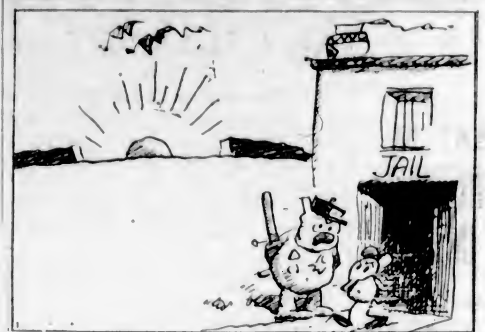


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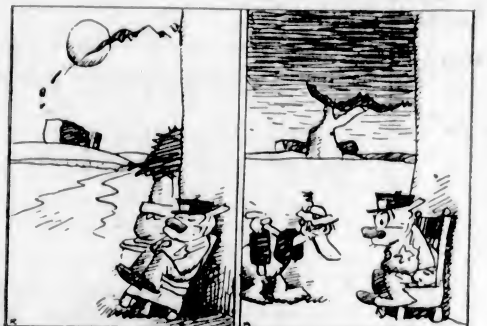
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## EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



## JUST LIKE A WOMAN



## SHE KNEW THEM

Actor (looking for lodgings)—I presume, Madam, you know the special terms most places have for the theatrical profession.

Landlady—Oh, yes, I know them all right; but I hope I'm too much of a lady to repeat them.

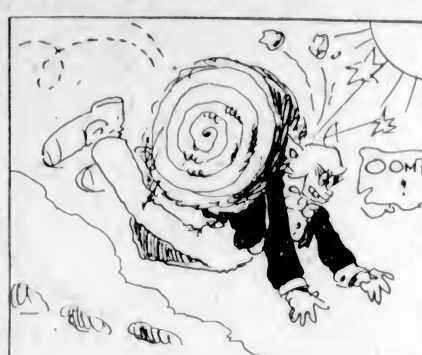
## TEMPTING

Manager—You say you've come in answer to our advertisement for a salesman at a salary of \$3,000 a year, and yet you admit you know nothing of our business.

Applicant—Quite so, but the \$3,000 seemed so tempting.



# COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



S'MATTER POP?

Low-Hatting Pop

By C. M. PAYNE





## Between Twelve and One

By VERNON LODER

(CHAPTER XV Continued)

"Do you merely base your doubts about his sanity on a scientific disagreement?" asked Cobham. The other leaned back and laughed. "No, I was present some months back at a meeting of a few colleagues, to entertain Professor Memetius. What do you think he did?"

"I have no idea, sir."

"Ha! He brought some sea-water with him, put it over a burner to evaporate the water—I am putting this crudely to you—and then called on us all to acclaim his discovery that he had found a means of producing synthetic salt!"

"It may have been a joke, sir."

"Joke? He was going to strangle Heather, who laughed and asked him to show us the little vanishing trick with a rice pudding. No, my dear man, I saw Professor Giffatt the other day, one of his closest friends, and he told me in confidence that the poor chap had been off his head ever since the war."

Cobham thought of Cramish and Merton, who wanted to start the concern again; of Mary Glenne and her father and the others. He looked gloomily at the chuckling scientist.

"Then it's a bit of a blue egg, sir, for the people who put their money into Cupolis' concern? There is no hope of making a new start with it?"

"My dear fellow, I have seen

drawings of the plant he wanted to set up. He showed it to me himself. I can assure you that no engineer could understand what it was made to do, or see any meaning in it. If the air was more full of chemicals than it is, that plant would not have recovered one. To me, it looked like the bad dream of a chemist gone mad, who had been studying Heath Robinson's drawings."

"As bad as that?" said Cobham heavily.

"Or worse," said the other. "Is that all you want to know? Right, I have something rather important on hand and must get on with it."

When Cobham was out in the street again, he stood for a few moments thinking, then drove back to his hotel, had a meal, and set out on his return to Hindon.

He did not think it necessary to worry about the work he had given the inspector, new as the latter was to London. It might be a very long and arduous, almost impossible task, that of tracing money invested with Cupolis to its present hiding place. It might even be that the investors had no claim on it now. Cupolis might have spent it or named it away on the tables at Monte Carlo. In any case, he had trained all his officers to follow his own example.

"Never say you can't do this of understanding that," he had told them when first promoted to Hindon. "A police officer, however high, is not supposed to be a master of all trades or a dabbler in the arts and professions. But, high or low, he has this advantage: He has an organization behind him, he has money, not only for any necessary expenses, but also to buy opinions from those who are best qualified to give them. Bay I am asked to find out what a criminal could do with a certain poison. I don't get a book, I get an expert. What takes me months only takes him minutes."

Inspector Hault knew what to do. He would already have consulted some one who was familiar with the stock exchange and banking. He would get information which was valuable, and he would carry out a routine which, in the end, ought to bring success.

Though they are larger, men are sometimes more elusive than colts. Checks must be cashed, and the point of encashment is a starting point from which the investigator can work onward.

So Cobham was not thinking of that. He was thinking again of the investors. That was not part of his job in one sense. In another it was. He was a man of heart. For a little he thought of writing to Miss Glenne, telling her that it would be cruel and useless to let her hope that the company could be reconstructed. But he gave up that idea in the end. He had a feeling of power today. With only the scrap of clues he wondered if he could not round up that vanished money and set the investors on their feet again.

It was possible that Cupolis had meditated a bolt.

His interview that morning with Memetius and the later one with the scientist in his laboratory, told him clearly enough what had happened. It had not mattered to the devil whether the press release was commercially valuable or not.

It was possible that Cupolis had

He had merely used it as a lever to extract money from a selected public. It was possible he knew it was utterly impracticable, also possible he had once believed in it. Whether he had known Professor Memetius to be out of his mind or perfectly sane did not matter. He had thrown out in this case, as in the case of the formulae of this famous physicist. It had been to him at least a lucrative process.

Superintendent Cobham learned at Hindon that the local search had had no results so far. There had been the usual bag of tramps and tourists, but every one had a more or less convincing alibi. The fingerprints in Cupolis' room were negligible and must have been made by the servants and those who would normally have access to that room. Not one had been found in a suspicious position.

The French police had been informed and asked to have search made in Cupolis' villa at Mentone, now shut up, and Captain Sherdell, now chief constable, who was impatiently awaiting Cobham's return, told him of the work done to the moment and asked him for his report.

Cobham told him briefly what he had done; recounted his interview with the banker, the professor, and the scientist, and added that Lord Cramish and Mr. Merton's plans to reconstruct the company were now blown sky-high by the expert's revelation.

"A darling devil!" said Sherdell, reluctantly admitting. "He must have known the old chap was poor. Perhaps he made up his mind to close down the show when he heard the expert was drawing attention to himself by his eccentricities. But where does this chap Merton come in? Cramish is business-like enough in his way. But I've only heard of this Merton as being an amateur yachtsman. What can he know of business, and why does he take a lead?"

Cobham smiled. "I have an idea, sir, he is sweet on that young man who was staying at Tendon Oaks. But I am going to try to find out more about him from Mand."

"Do I say, Cobham, what mercy we have no amateurs on in this case. Do you remember the Broum case, when that silly ass kept getting into our way and supplying clues that led nowhere?—By the way, I hear Mand has got a job."

"I heard he was going to get one, sir. I am glad."

"He seemed bucked, too. It's social secretary to Sir Malcolm Gogge's wife. You know of old Gogge, who made two fortunes out of tin-lacks or something."

Cobham nodded. "Then, sir, I had better go over to see him early tomorrow morning. Merton's gone down to see that lady's father in Somerset."

Sherdell nodded. "Well, you have put in some good work. I have to go away for two days. I left my address with Smith. Just keep me in touch will you?"

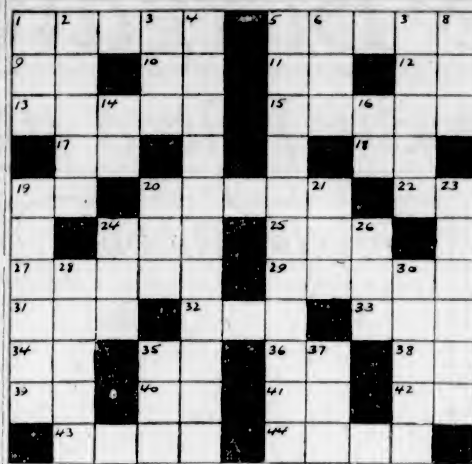
"He never asked me if I thought the professor could have done it. Cobham said to himself as he went home. "I wonder if he is going to have a shot at tracing him."

(To Be Continued)

Mother (sagely): You can't eat your cake and have it, too, you know.

Small Daughter: Well, Mother, if I want cake just to look at, there's plenty of it in the baker's window—(Sydney Bulletin.)

## The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

- Adhesive.
- Travel rapidly.
- Prefix: into.
- Beast of burden.
- Toward.
- Diphthong.
- Ancient inhabitant of Mexico.
- The cream.
- Three-toed sloth.
- Hard time, in a broadcast.
- A Southern State (ab.).
- A fruit.
- Nova Scotia (ab.).
- Hole in the ground.
- Mountain nymph.
- Gum resin.
- A water bird.
- Aurora.
- West Indian witchcraft.
- Sea eagle.
- International language.
- Upon.
- Man's nickname.
- Engineering degree (ab.).
- Street (ab.).
- Ammon.
- Note of the scale.
- Metric unit.
- Close.
- Look after.

DOWN

- Edible seed.
- Australian or New Zealand soldier.
- Part of the foot.

DOWN

- Unusual.
- Most secret.
- Parrot.
- Devoured.
- English river.
- Note of the scale.
- I am.
- Guides.
- Purpose.
- Reformation from the 16th.
- Wrongdoer.
- Foot-like organ.
- Anger.
- Pillages.
- Mountain nymph.
- Openings.
- Expire.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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Coolidge will be introduced to the audience by Dan A. Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance Company.

Western stations of the NBC system releasing Coolidge's talk are: KGO, Oakland; KFI, Spokane; KOMO, Seattle; KUV, Portland; and KECA, Los Angeles.

WILL BE HEARD WITH RUDY VALLEE

Irene Bordoni Will Appear Over NBC Network Tonight at 5 o'clock



IRENE BORDONI

Returning to radio after an absence of several months, pianist Irene Bordoni will present a concert of four songs as the guest artist with Rudy Vallee and his Connecticut Yankees to be heard during the Fleischmann "Sunshine Hour" this evening, from 8 to 9 o'clock, Pacific standard time, over KOMO and a coast-to-coast network of National Broadcasting Company stations.

Miss Bordoni's first number will be a new song, never presented over the air, and entitled, "Believe Me." This will be followed by an old favorite, "Did You Mean It," of which the first chorus will be sung in English and the second in French, although a favorite of the American musical stage.

"Just an Hour of Love" will be the third number, followed by another old-time favorite, "I May Be Wrong But I Think You're Wonderful." Miss Bordoni will be accompanied by Rudy's orchestra during the singing of her numbers, and the very dash of the French artist promise to blend sparklingly with the muted tones of the Vallee musicians.

Miss Bordoni has just returned from the Coast after completing an all-talking and singing picture.

TACTLESS

Lady (at ball)—You must find me rather heavy to dance with.

Partner (trying to be gallant)—I spend the day rolling barrels about and don't find them much heavier than you.

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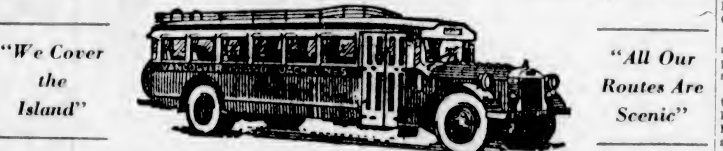
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# January Sale Bargains for Today

## A Sale of Party Frocks Priced at \$7.95 and \$16.50



### SALE OF GIRLS' SWEATERS

All-Wool Pull-Over Sweaters, shown in navy, fawn and brown, and trimmed in contrasting colors. Sizes 6 to 12 years. Special at, each **\$1.69**

Jumbo Knit Pull-Overs with polo collars. In shades of jockey and white. Sizes 8 to 12 years. Each **\$2.75**

Jumbo Knit Coat Sweaters with big polo collars and two pockets. In jockey or white. Sizes 8 to 12 years. At, each **\$2.95**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

### GIRLS' JERSEY DRESSES

Special at **\$5.95**

All-Wool Jersey Cloth Dresses in long sleeved styles with V neck or Peter Pan collar. Shirred and pleated effects. Shades are blue, fawn, navy, scarlet and green. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

### WOMEN'S SWEATERS, \$1.98

Pull-Over Sweaters in attractive styles and colorings.

—Sweaters, 1st Floor



### Women's and Misses' Silk Party Frocks

At Great Reductions  
Excellent Qualities  
Newest Styles

Party Frocks of Taffeta, Georgette and Moire. They are designed with tightly fitted bodice, drapes and bouffant skirts and uneven hemline. Suitable for misses. All pastel shades, including black. Sizes 13 to 19. On sale for **\$7.95**

Party Frocks of Flat Crepe, Satin, Moire, Georgette and Crepe de Chine. Made in the fashionable long length style. Sizes 16 to 44. On sale for **\$16.50**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

### Rayon Slips and Nightgowns

**\$1.69**

Slips with opera top and shadow skirt. In white, pink, peach, Nile, rose, tangerine, sand or blue. Each **\$1.69**

Rayon Silk Nightgowns in several styles; tailored and trimmed with floral rayon to match. Each **\$1.69**

—White Wear, 1st Floor

### WOMEN'S SMART SHOES

Reduced for Our January Shoe Sale. A Pair **\$5.85**

Vogue, Beaulieu and Pedigo Straps and Pumps in beige or brown kid, Empress Strap Slippers in brown calf and suede; Corrective Ties, Walking Oxfords and Dress Shoes. A wonderful selection from which to choose—and all drastically reduced. Values to \$12.00 and \$10.00 a pair.

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor



### HUNDREDS OF PAIRS OF WOMEN'S SHOES

Values to \$9.00 a Pair for **\$4.95**

A great removal of fine shoes from our 1st Floor Shoe Section to the Bargain Highway. Included are satin pumps and straps, patent and kid ties and straps, walking Oxfords in colored leathers, and Revelation and Empress corrective shoes.

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

### WOMEN'S TIES

Regular \$1.00 **25c** for

Tailored Ties in a variety of patterns. Some in plain colors. On sale today. **25c**

—Neckwear, Main Floor

### Long and Triangle SCARVES

Regular \$1.98 **98c** for

Heavy-Weight Scarves in a selection of colors and patterns. Each **98c**

—Main Floor

### Girls' Blanket Cloth Coats

Special at **\$9.95**

All-Wool Blanket Cloth Coats with fur collars and cuffs. Shown in shades of fawn, green, blue and brown. Sizes 8 to 14 years.

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

### Novelty Ribbons

Regular 25c Yard for Values to 35c a Yard for

**10c 15c**

Values to 50c a Yard for

**25c**

Clearing all lines of Fancy Ribbons—1-inch to 2 1/4 inches wide. Including metallic, striped, fancy ratine, fancy brocade and novelty wool ribbon. To clear at less than Half Price.

—Main Floor



### Our Entire Stock of Winter Millinery

At

**\$2.98, \$4.98 \$6.98**

Felts, Soleils and Satins. A wonderful selection in styles to suit all types, including some of smartest model hats. Greatly reduced for our January Clearance Sale.

—Millinery, 1st Floor

### CHILDREN'S HATS, 98c

Our Complete Stock of Children's Winter Hats to be cleared at this low price.

—Millinery, 1st Floor

### 54-INCH JERSEY SILK

Regular a Yard, \$4.50, **\$1.98** for

An excellent grade Jersey Silk, suitable for dresses; black, navy, brown, tan and grey. On sale, a yard **\$1.98**

36-Inch Spot Crepe, a hard-wearing fabric in bright finish; black and navy. A yard **98c**

36-Inch Black Baronette, a rich shade, and suitable for dresses. A yard **98c**

36-Inch Corded Silk, makes most effective dresses; black and navy only. Regular a yard, \$1.98, for **\$1.39**

—Silks, Main Floor

### 54-INCH WOOL COATINGS

Greatly Reduced

54-Inch Coatings, including tweeds, needlepoint and plaids. A fine opportunity to secure a length at less than half price. Regular a yard, \$3.98, for **\$1.98**

54-Inch Fancy Coatings, in pattern effects. Regular a yard, \$4.75, for **\$2.98**

36-Inch Wool Delaine and French Flannel, plain and pattern effects. Values to \$1.75, for **98c**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

### Women's Pure Thread

### SILK HOSE

Regular a Pair, \$1.75, **\$1.29** for

Semi-service-weight silk to the garter hem, full fashioned, with pointed heels and a wide range of shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. A pair **\$1.29**

—Hosiery, Main Floor



### Mercury Silk and Wool Hose

Silk and Wool Hose, wool inside and silk-plated finish, full fashioned and well reinforced. All newest shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. A pair **\$1.25**

Mercury Silk and Wool Hose in mottled effect. Full fashioned, with narrow ankles and feet and widened hemmed tops. Double soles, toes and heels. All shades. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. A pair **\$1.50**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### Women's Under Hose of Fine All-Wool, a Pair, 75c

Full fashioned, and flesh color only. Can be worn under the finest weight silk hose. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. **75c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### TRIMMINGS AND LACES

At Bargain Prices

Remnants of Fur Trimming, from 2 to 4 inches wide, at

**HALF PRICE**

Filet and Cluny Laces, 1/2-inch to 4 inches wide. On sale, a yard

**5c to 39c**

Oddments of Old Gold Silk Embroideries and Motifs at

**HALF PRICE**

Silver and Gold Laces, bright or dull finish, from 4 to 12 inches wide. On sale at

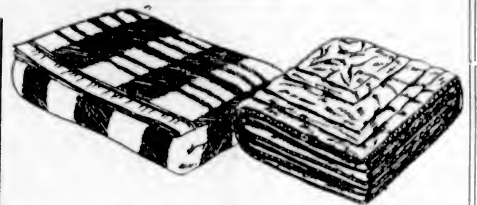
**HALF PRICE**

### Women's Windsor Ties

Regular \$1.00 **50c** for

In novelty patterns and a variety of colors.

—Main Floor



### Extra Bedding for Chilly Nights

At Special January Sale Prices

Bed Throws in plain tan or brown, with fancy borders. Each **\$1.49**

Fancy Plaid Blankets in many pretty color combinations. Three-quarter bed size, per pair **\$3.25**

Double bed size, per pair **\$3.75**

White Pure Wool Blankets in soft fleecy finish. Single bed size, per pair **\$7.95**

Three-quarter bed size, per pair **\$8.95**

Double bed size, per pair **\$9.95**

White Part Wool Blankets in single bed size. Size 60 x 80 inches. Per pair **\$5.65**

Grey Wool Blankets, double bed size. Each **\$2.75**

Heavy Grey Flannelette Blankets. Double bed size. Per pair **\$2.98**

White or Grey Flannelette Sheets. Single bed size, per pair **\$2.10**

Three-quarter bed size, per pair **\$2.29**

Double bed size, per pair **\$2.49**

Extra large size, 70 x 90 inches. Per pair **\$2.85**

Cotton-Filled Comforters, neatly covered. Each **\$2.49**

Wool-Filled Comforters, in rose, blue, mauve or gold shades. Each **\$6.95**

Down-Filled Comforters in attractive panel effects. Values to \$11.50 each, for **\$7.95**

—Bedding, Main Floor

### Men's Wool Tweed Suits and Overcoats

Astonishing Values for

**\$15.00**

Suits stylish in appearance and well tailored from wool tweeds and worsteds, latest double or single-breasted models, in many shades and weaves. All sizes. A fine quality at a low price **\$15.00**



Overcoats of a substantial wool tweed cloth, quarter silk lined, and in the styles most in demand. Greys, browns and fancy weaves. Coats ordinarily sold for \$27.50 at **\$15.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

### Bargains in CHINAWARE

Decorated China Jugs in handy family sizes. Each **25c** and **35c**

Berry Bowls in assorted decorations. Each **33c**

Fruit Sets, fancy china; seven pieces to a set **95c**

China Tea Sets, 23 pieces, including six cups and saucers, six tea plates, one covered sugar bowl, one cream jug, one teapot. Six attractive patterns from which to choose. A set **\$2.95**

—Lower Main Floor

### Men's Heavy-Weight Shirts and Drawers

Turnbull's make—Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers. All sizes. A garment **\$2.19**

Combinations. A suit **\$4.19**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### BOYS' UNDERWEAR

A Suit, \$1.00

Combinations of a heavy brushed cotton; cream or mottled. Long sleeves and long legs. Sizes 24 to 34, **\$1.00**

Fleece-Lined Combinations in mottled shade, with long sleeves and short legs. Sizes 26 to 34. A suit **\$1.00**

—Boys' Store, Gov't Street

### BOYS' TWEED OVERCOATS

Values to \$10.95, **\$5.95** for

Juvenile Overcoats of good grade wool tweed; double-breasted style with two-way collar. Shown in several shades and patterns. Lined with check flannel. Dressy, warmth-giving coats that are remarkable values at, each **\$5.95**

—Boys' Store, Gov't Street



### BOYS' TWO-BLOOMER TWEED SUITS

Regular to \$15.00, **\$8.95** for

Suits of excellent quality wool tweeds, in smart patterns; belted single-breasted coats, and bloomers fully lined. Sizes 26 to 32 **\$8.95**

—Boys' Store, Gov't Street

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### MEN'S SCARVES, SPECIAL, EACH, 98c

Wool and rayon silk and wool, in a selection of colors.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor